WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains high on the Coast and low temperatures are reported over the Interior of this Province. Zero temperatures have occurred in the Prairies.

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U.F.A. WOULD BE FRIENDS WITH RUSSIA

Resolution Demanding That Ottawa Open Negotiations With Soviet Adopted at Calgary

QUESTION SHELVED AND REINTRODUCED

Breaking Off Diplomatic and Trade Relations Held to Presage Another War

CALGARY, Jan. 20.—A demand that the Federal Government open negotiations with Soviet Russia with a view to immediate resumption of diplomatic and trade relations between the two countries; condemnation of the Dominion immigration policy; endorsement of a resolution calling upon the Dominion Government to take over the railways controlled by the province—this sums up the outstanding acts of the United Farmers of Alberta at the closing session of their annual convention here today.

Recognition of Soviet Russia, a subject which was shelved during the early stages of the convention, was revived by a motion to reconsider a resolution by G. Johnson, of Calgary. At the close of a lengthy debate it was approved by a substantial majority.

Severance of relations with any nation was a dangerous step, Mr. Johnson contended. Such developments, generally, were the forerunners of war, and Canadian citizens, faced with that possibility, had a perfect right to demand that the government give a full explanation as to the actual reasons for the rupture.

Shorn of its preamble, the resolution on immigration, as passed by the convention, asks that greater care be taken in the selection, class and number of immigrants sent to Western Canada, and that immigration officials be held responsible for the influx until proper arrangements could be made for the necessary care of the newcomers.

Dutch Steamer Helpless With Broken Rudder

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Jan. 20.—The steamer Burgerdijk, 4,230 tons, was reported by wireless today as being disabled with her rudder broken. Her position was Lat. 45:20 N., Long. 40:44 W.

The ocean tug Rhoodaze, which was engaged in a search for the schooner Betty B., missing since leaving port three days ago, probably will go to the assistance of the Burgerdijk, which is a Dutch steamer, clearing from Baltimore January 10 for Newport News and Rotterdam.

RECEIVE CERTIFICATES

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—The following have obtained certificates of proficiency in radio-telegraphy from the Radio Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries: First Class commercial, F. J. C. Crouquet, Vancouver, B.C.; H. M. Johnson, Vancouver, B.C. Second Class commercial: H. M. Nicholson, Olds, Alberta; A. P. Stark, Victoria, B.C.

From the Colonist Tower

Saturday, January 21

21st Day, 1928

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds; generally fair and not much change in temperature.

Sun Rises: 7:56 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 4:53 o'clock.

High Tide: 11:32 a.m., 9.8 feet.
Low Tide: 8:44 a.m., 1.2 feet.

Sport

3,200 fans see Victoria Capitals defeat Vancouver Towers, to win deciding game of intercity ice hockey series.
Ace Hudkins gains decision over Joe Dundee.
Lengthy sport programme arranged for today.
Kansas City team claims record for shutouts in hockey.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Premier Gold Mining Company buys Silverado Mine.
Appeal Court confirms conviction in Lim Gim narcotics case.
Dominion and Foreign
Rebel General Sandino reported killed in Nicaragua.
Lady Simon charges powers refused to treat slave ships as piratical.
Rule against intervention made merely declaration of principle at Pan-American conference.
British Commonwealth improvement on Federal system in United States, says Mr. Amery.
Measure for revision of prayer book made public.
Fate of India in hands of commission now on way to Bombay.
Admiral de Robeck dies in London.
U. F. A. would be friends with Russia.
U. B. C. teams defeated in debates.

On Royal Commission Bound for India

SIR JOHN SIMON

Who, with six other commissioners, is on his way to Bombay to survey the problem of self-government for India

PREMIER BUYS SILVERADO MINE

Ratification Will Be Made by Shareholders of Company Here on Wednesday Week

NEW COMPANY TO BE ORGANIZED

The Silverado mine at Stewart has been sold to the Premier Gold Mining Company, the final passing over of the assets of the company awaiting only the ratification of the shareholders of the Silverado Mines Limited. Steps have been taken for the calling of the meeting necessary to carry this out, this meeting being called for Wednesday, February 1, to take place in the board room in the Belmont Building.

Under the terms of the tentative agreement entered into between the directors of the Silverado Mines Ltd. and the Premier Gold Mining Company, it is agreed to form a new company under the suggested name of the Silverado Consolidated Company. This new organization will be capitalized at $1,000,000. The capitalization of the former company was $500,000.

TERMS OF AGREEMENT

The terms of agreement gives the Premier company the option to purchase 550,000 shares of the 1,000,000 authorized. The price to be paid by the company is $500,000.

The remaining shares of the new company, some 450,000, will pass to the present holders of stock in the Silverado Company. These will be distributed pro rata among the present shareholders. As there have been less than 400,000 shares issued by the existing company there will be not only the same number of shares issued to them as are at present held in the present company, but in addition there will be some 60,000 additional shares to divide among the present holders.

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REBEL GENERAL REPORTED DEAD

SANDINO NUMBERED AMONG CASUALTIES IN ATTACK ON MOUNTAIN STRONGHOLD

U.S. Marine Officers Believe Followers Have Flocked to Other Leaders

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Jan. 20.—While some doubt exists as to whether the rebel leader, General Augustino Sandino, is dead and buried, a report received by the United States marine command here today indicates that he at least suffered injuries at El Chipote, his mountain stronghold, last Saturday.

The report comes from the marine garrison at Ocotal, in Nueva Segovia, which says that information has been received from Nicaraguans coming into Ocotal that Sandino was seriously wounded in an air attack at El Chipote on that date.

Airplanes returning this afternoon from that territory, report no sign of activities on the part of the rebels.

Evidence that the forces of General Sandino are dispersing, was brought back from El Chipote, his headquarters, by marine corps flyers yesterday. Aviators who sought some confirmation of reports that he had been killed, found the town and surrounding mountains apparently deserted, while roads leading northward toward Honduras showed signs of recent heavy traffic.

Marine officers believe that some of Sandino's men have gone to Telpaneca to join other forces, and that others have fled to Honduras. As the Honduran government has promised not to allow concentration of rebels on Honduran soil, it is believed that Sandino, if still alive, may be attempting to escape down the Coco River toward the Caribbean Sea.

GOLD STILL FLOATING

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The flow of gold from Canada continued today with an additional shipment of $2,000,000 to the Bank of Montreal in New York. This is a total of $32,500,000 since the movement began in December.

TWO U.B.C. TEAMS LOSE IN DEBATES

Coast Representatives Defeated in Contests With Saskatchewan and Manitoba Universities

IMPERIALISM AND WAR IS SUBJECT

Alberta Wins From Manitoba by Unanimous Decision of Judges at Edmonton

WINNIPEG, Jan. 20.—Manitoba University defeated the University of British Columbia's debating team in an interprovincial debate here tonight. The teams were: Manitoba, Hugh Roberts and Hugh Saunderson; British Columbia, David Wadlinger and William Masterson.

Manitoba took the affirmative side of the question that "Commercial imperialism is a perpetual menace to international peace," and the judges' decision was unanimous. The Rev. N. A. McEachern, Professor A. S. P. Woodhouse, of the university, and J. E. Reid, of the law school, acted as judges.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—University of Saskatchewan representatives won the interprovincial debate here tonight with the representatives of the University of British Columbia. The subject under debate was: "Resolved, that economic imperialism is a perpetual menace to peace." The winning team, George Britnell and George Mainby, supported the negative, and Denis Murphy and Greville Rowland the affirmative.

EDMONTON, Jan. 20.—By the unanimous vote of the judges, University of Alberta debaters defeated representatives of the University of Manitoba here tonight in a contest for the McGoun trophy.

Robert Hill and S. T. Fisher, Alberta debaters, upheld the affirmative of the resolution: "That commercial imperialism is a perpetual menace to international peace." William Hughes and George Galt spoke for Manitoba.

SASKATOON, Jan. 20.—The University of Saskatchewan, represented by Miss Dorothy McKenzie and F. J. C. Luke, tonight won from the University of Alberta in the debate here on: "Resolved, that commercial imperialism is a perpetual menace to international peace."

Canada Eligible For Seat in Pan-American Union

HAVANA, Jan. 20.—Canada's position as a nation within the British Commonwealth need not prevent the participation of the Dominion in the Pan-American Union, in the opinion of Julio Garcia, chief of the Mexican delegation to the Pan-American conference now in session here.

"Canada is a nation within the American continent, her national status is equal to that of any other American country, and she should participate in the American family conclaves," said Senor Garcia in an interview with the correspondent of the Canadian Press here today.

The Mexican delegates said that Mexico hoped to have the opportunity of supporting a proposal for Canadian participation.

CHURCH ENDOWMENTS IN JEOPARDY, SAYS BIRMINGHAM BISHOP

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Bishop Barnes of Birmingham has issued a statement describing the new revision of the Common Prayer Book as "gravely inadequate." He adds that little has been done to remove the objectionable features, or to lessen the misgivings expressed in Parliament.

"The Commons almost of necessity must reject the present proposals," Bishop Barnes says, adding.

"The Episcopal majority may then say that if they cannot have continuous reservations and the like they must ask for disestablishment. The reply, I conceive, would be a measure stern and far-reaching, whereby no endowments of the Church of England would be available for Catholic propaganda. I should regret such an outcome, for, in the sort of dispute to which we seem to be drifting, the Church of England, which I love, would be ruined."

Shot Ends Suffering Of Marooned Collie

DETROIT, Jan. 20.—After battling the churning, icy waters of Lake St. Clair, for more than twenty-four hours in a vain attempt to rescue a white collie, sighted yesterday marooned on a cake of ice far out in the lake, a city patrolman ended the misery of the dog with a revolver shot today.

Principal Named

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—Appointment of Rev. Cannon Abbott Smith to the principalship of the Montreal Diocesan Theological College, taking effect after the present session of the college, was made here yesterday at a meeting of the board of governors.

H. B. Co., Cunard And C.P.R. Plan On Joint Action

WINNIPEG, Jan. 20.—At a board meeting of the Hudson's Bay Company Overseas Settlement, Limited, in London, Sir George McLaren Brown was elected a member of the board to represent the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, according to an announcement made here today.

This brings into close association three powerful influences in British settlements overseas, namely Hudson's Bay Company, the Cunard Steamship Company and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, all of whom are interested in the Hudson's Bay Company Overseas Settlement, Limited. The chairman is Charles V. Sale, Governor of the Hudson's Bay Company.

REVISED BOOK IS PUBLISHED

Measure Will Be Presented to Church Assembly for Consideration on February 6

STATEMENT MADE IN EXPLANATION

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The measure for revision of the book of Common Prayer for the Church of England, drawn up by the House of Bishops for presentation to the Church Assembly on February 6, was made public tonight.

The first measure was adopted by the House of Lords but rejected by the House of Commons. The effect of the measure is set forth in an explanatory statement by the Archbishops of Canterbury and York, with the concluding paragraph:

"The changes contained in the measure may seem few in number, but they must not be thought unimportant in view of the stress laid upon them by critics of the measure. Further, it should be understood that the measure now introduced is not necessarily the final form of the measure as it may eventually be presented for final approval."

Regarding the question of reservation of the sacrament, the Archbishops say:

QUESTION OF ADORATION

"The so-called Black Rubric, namely, the declaration about kneeling, containing the statement 'thereby no adoration is intended or ought to be done either unto the sacramental bread and wine there bodily received, or unto any corporeal presence of Christ's natural flesh and blood,' was printed in the new book at the end of the order of holy communion as of the book of 1662, but was not also printed at the end of the new alternative order."

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"SLAVE" SHIPS ARE PROTECTED

POWERS HAVE REFUSED TO BRAND VESSELS PIRATES SAYS LADY SIMON

Number of Persons in Bondage in Abyssinia and China Numbered in Millions

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Lady Kathleen Simon, wife of Sir John Simon, noted statesman, who has had much to do with bringing freedom to a quarter of a million slaves in Sierra Leone, Africa, speaking at the showing of the film, "Uncle Tom's Cabin," today appealed for complete abolition of human slavery throughout the world in this generation.

"We have reason to believe," she said, "tha tthere are still 3,000,000 or 4,000,000 slaves to be set free in Abyssinia and China. Mothers have their children torn from them and massacred before their eyes. Husbands are torn from their wives and, in Abyssinia, are marched across the deserts. They are brought to the slave market and sold like cattle into seridom, which only ends with the grave"

Sir Austen Chamberlain and Lord Cecil, she said, had appealed to the League of Nations to regard ships which carry slaves as pirates, but their pleas failed when France, Italy, Portugal, and some other nations declined to support it.

"We want to raid these ships," exclaimed the woman crusader, "and set the slaves free."

HOSPITAL DEFICITS MAY BE SADDLED ON B.C. MUNICIPALITIES

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—Division of British Columbia into hospital districts and the levying of hospital deficits on the municipalities in the respective areas on the basis of services rendered, was advocated by A. J. Pilkington, city comptroller, as the practical solution of the hospital financing problem at an informal discussion on this subject at a conference on hospital matters at the City Hall today. George Walkem, M.P.P., pointed out that the Vancouver General Hospital was a city institution and was running behind because only fifty-five per cent of accounts were being collected.

CABINET RESIGNS

OSLO, Jan. 20.—The Cabinet of Ivar Lykke, which assumed office in March, 1926, resigned today as a result of Conservative losses in the October elections, when the Labor party won a striking victory.

ADMIRAL DE ROBECK DIES IN ENGLAND

Commander of British Mediterranean Fleet That Failed to Force Dardanelles in 1915

SON OF FOURTH BARON OF NAME

Legion of Honor, First Class Sacred Treasure (Japan), Grand Cross (Italy), Honors Accorded

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Sir John Michael de Robeck, admiral of the fleet, who was commander of the British Mediterranean fleet in 1915 on the memorable occasion of the unsuccessful attempt to force the Dardanelles, died here tonight.

Admiral de Robeck was the second son of the fourth Baron de Robeck, of Gowran Grange, Maas, Ireland. He was commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, 1922-24; Mediterranean, 1919-22. He was born in 1862 and reached the high estate of admiral of the fleet in 1925.

Among other posts held by the late admiral was that of High Commissioner at Constantinople, inspector of boys' training establishments, admiral of patrols. He wore the ribbon of the Legion of Honor, insignia of the First Class Sacred Treasure, Japan, and the Grand Cross Order Crown of Italy.

PAN-AMERICANS CIRCLE DANGER

PROHIBITION OF INTERVENTION MADE MERELY A DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLE

Conferees Fear Definite Convention on Question Might Lead to Difficulties

HAVANA, Jan. 20.—Recommendations adopted by the committee on public international law today, which will be submitted to the Pan-American Conference, propose that instead of the drawing up of conventions specifically prohibiting intervention in the affairs of another state, and ordering recognition of a de facto government, these maxims should be contained merely in a declaration of principles.

The project for the codification of international law prepared by the conference of jurists at Rio de Janeiro last April, recommend that these principles be incorporated in treaty form. Objection to this was raised at the meeting of the committee today. It was argued that such incorporation might be open to practical difficulties, which would be a serious blow to the prestige of the work of the conference.

Victor Maurtua, of Peru, reporting on this subject, brought forward the solution, which finally was approved unanimously. The committee recommends in principle that:

"No state may intervene in the internal affairs of another."

"A government is to be recognized whenever it fulfills the following conditions:

"1. Effective authority with a probability of stability and consolidation, the orders of which government particularly as regard taxes and military service, are accepted by the inhabitants.

"2. Capacity to discharge preexisting international obligations, to contract others and to represent the principles established in international law.

MARKET CONTROL ACT WILL STAND

Hon. E. D. Barrow Says Growers' Suggestions Will Make Measure More Workable

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—"While certain recommendations will doubtless be received from the fruit growers relative to amendments to the Market Control Act as a result of the Kelowna convention, these will not affect the general principle underlying the legislation," declared Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, who reached the city today from Kelowna, en route to Victoria. "The growers' suggestions are calculated to made the administration of the act more workable," the minister said. "They will receive the consideration of the Government."

Mr. Barrow expressed himself as highly pleased with the general commendation of the market control legislation, which he heard from the fruit growers at the Kelowna convention. At least ninety per cent of the growers of British Columbia favor the act, he said.

Irish President Due In Ottawa on Jan. 29

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—President Wm. Costgrave of the Irish Free State who arrived here yesterday, informed the Canadian Press that he would visit Ottawa January 29.

Hero of Dardanelles Dies in London

SIR JOHN M. de ROBECK

Admiral of the Fleet, who was in command when the attempt was made to force the Dardanelles in 1915

FATE OF INDIA IS IN BALANCE

Many Difficulties in Way of British Commission Which Sailed Last Night for Bombay

SIR JOHN SIMON HAS HEAVY BURDEN

LONDON, Jan. 20.—The Royal Commission on Indian Reforms, headed by Sir John Simon, which sails from Marseilles for Bombay at midnight, faces what most men in public life in this country, consider the biggest problem in the British Empire.

The whole future of India and its development as a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations is in the hands of seven men named to study the progress of Indian self-government. The work of the commission is a part of the Montagu-Clemsford reform scheme, inaugurated a decade ago.

The commission will arrive in India about February 3 for a preliminary visit of two months. Another visit will be made late in 1929.

SIR JOHN SIMON

Sir John Simon, upon whose shoulders falls one of the heaviest responsibilities of statesmanship ever given a British official, is a former Cabinet Minister, a man held in high regard by all sections of the British public.

He is accompanied by six colleagues, all members of the British Parliament. They are Lord Burnham, famous British publisher, who sold his newspaper, The Daily Telegraph, a few weeks ago so that he could devote his entire time to the Indian commission and other public works; Lord Strathcona, Conservative peer; Edward Cadogan, Colonel G. Lane Fox, Stephen Walsh and Richard Atlee. The last four are members of the House of Commons.

BOYCOTT SUGGESTED

Indication of the difficulties ahead of the commission is given by the fact that its appointment started a movement for a boycott by certain Indian Nationalists. The commission represents all British parties, Conservative, Liberal and Labor. Opposition has started in India because Indian members are not included.

The reason for this was that inasmuch as final decision regarding India rests constitutionally with the British Parliament, that body has dispatched a commission of its own members to study the situation. Ramsay MacDonald, former Labor Premier, has issued a message to India to induce Indian Nationalists to accept the commission as a means of inquiring into the possibilities of extended Indian self-government.

Norway Disputes Britain's Claim To Two Islands

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Great Britain and Norway have made rival claims to two uninhabited islands in the South Atlantic—Bouvet Island and Thompson Island. The claims, however, are not accompanied by any threat of the severance of relations between the two countries.

The British Government announced Tuesday that these islands "belonging to the King," had been leased for ten years to a Norwegian company for whaling and the collection of guano, subject to yearly rent and royalties. The Norwegian Government stated yesterday that Bouvet was already Norwegian since Norway's flag was hoisted there last December, thus annexing what was regarded as no man's land. The Norwegian Government said they were already using the land as a whaling station.

The problem of ownership is complicated by doubt as to whether the Thompson Island exists. Some say it and Bouvet are identical, although it is shown on maps as being about one hundred miles from Bouvet.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

ROCK CREEK, B.C., Jan. 20.—A young German lad, who lived with his parents on the Smyri ranch near here, met instant death from a .22 rifle which he carried with him while riding. The trigger struck some object and the rifle was discharged, killing him instantly.

British Commonwealth An Improvement Upon Federal System in U. S.

Co-operation Among Dominions Better Than Rigid Written Form That Binds American States Together, Says Hon. L. C. Amery in Address Before Canadian Club of Toronto

Idea Termed Supreme Product Of British Political Genius

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—Based on his tour throughout the Empire, Rt. Hon. Col. L. C. M. S. Amery made a new confession of faith as to the relations of the constituent parts of the Empire before the Canadian Club here today. The belief once held by many in some form of federal government for the Empire had now been found to be unworkable, he said. Voluntary co-operation among free and responsible governments, preserving the ancient symbol of the throne and yet allowing for the fullest measure of domestic liberty and true responsibility, would produce much better results, the speaker thought.

This idea was the latest and the supreme product of British political genius. The scheme had not been in existence at the time of the framing of the American constitution. The framers of that constitution had only the countries of ancient times and Britain, as she was at that time, to serve as models. Consequently the American system of government was an eighteenth century creation and inferior to the modern British system of representative government with voluntary co-operation taking the place of a rigid federal constitution.

MAYOR OF CHICAGO

Turning to the structure of the Empire, the speaker remarked:

"There is a gentleman in Chicago who lives in continual fear because he believes that Great Britain wishes to resume sovereignty over the United States. None of us has any such wish. But from a purely constitutional point of view, there is no nation which, if it were to join us, would have to forego one shred of its national independence and which would not gain in status in the eyes of the world and in power to do good in the world."

ANTIQUATED DOCUMENT

Mr. Amery then pointed out that no nation as a nation could join the American union. There was no place in the antiquated constitution of that country for national independence. The American constitution was really out of date before it was made, for even then the germs of the idea of responsible government were in existence in Great Britain. But, considering the models before them, the framers of the American constitution showed originality of thought and political wisdom.

BEFORE TRADE BOARD

Economic consolidation of the British Empire based on voluntary mutual co-operation and tariff preferences, was advocated in an address to the Toronto Board of Trade in a dinner in Hart House last evening.

Britain's attitude in the matter of Imperial preferences had undergone a change, said Colonel Amery. Canada might well recall that at an Imperial conference held in Ottawa, Britain had stood alone in opposing such a policy and that for generations Canada had given unreciprocated preferences to England.

"In the war we learned what a difference it made whether by trade we built up fellow-citizens who were with us from the first or friendly neutrals who might or might not join us. Since then we have begun to move. I can see that a great advance is coming, an advance like the last hundred days of the war."

Falls Many, But Royal Brothers Escape Mishap

MELTON MOWBRAY, Eng., Jan. 20.—Good fortune attended the Prince of Wales and his brothers, the Duke of York and Prince Henry, while hunting today with hounds. Rain was persistent throughout the greater part of the day, and falls were numerous, owing to the heavy going, but the Princes all succeeded in maintaining their mounts.

Lady Kathleen Rolio was pitched into the road, but not seriously hurt. The Maharanee of Cooch Behar (India), escaped injury when a horse collided with hers and dismounted her.

JUSTICE SPEEDS UP IN SPOKANE

Two Hold-Up Men Are Arrested, Tried and Sentenced Within Twenty-Four Hours

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 20.—Robert McDonald, twenty-two, and Stephen Coucher, thirty-one, held up Paul Teters on a downtown street last night and then Coucher struck him over the head with the butt of a revolver.

A passer-by witnessed the robbery and followed the men to a hotel, and then called the police. This afternoon they pleaded guilty to highway robbery, and McDonald was sentenced to eight years in the state penitentiary and Coucher to ten years.

Coucher, a waiter, formerly lived in Lewiston, Idaho. McDonald said his home was in Portland, Ore. The robbery netted them $1.85.

Germany and Italy Keep Up War Spirit

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—The government and German firms have decided not to participate in the Milan Fair this year because a commemoration of the anniversary of Italian victory in the World War has been scheduled in connection with the fair. The German papers interpret the Italian plan as wilful provocation for the purpose of keeping German competition away. Italian newspapers have retaliated to the German announcement by rescinding announcement of their participation in the coming International Press Exposition at Cologne.

F. H. Clendenning Head Of Shipping Federation

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—F. H. Clendenning was elected president of the Shipping Federation of British Columbia at the eleventh annual meeting and first annual dinner, attended by over forty members here tonight. Mr. Glendenning is president of the Empire Shipping Company. K. J. Burns, port superintendent, and second vice-president, was chosen first vice-president. K. A. McLennan was elected second vice-president.

LEGION MAKES RAPID GROWTH

SIR PERCY LAKE, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., TELLS MEMBERS OF PROGRESS MADE

Annual Dinner of Branch Is Great Success—Membership Shows Expansion

The rapid growth of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League was clearly demonstrated last night at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium, when more than one hundred and seventy members attended the fourth annual dinner. Mr. J. H. Gillespie, president of the organization, presided.

In proposing the toast "The Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion, British Empire Service League, and the Women's Auxiliary," Mr. J. H. Gillespie, the president, sketched briefly the success of the branch during the last year. "Since we have been in our new home we have made considerable progress and improvement," said the speaker. "We have at this time 575 members, which rates the Pro Patria Branch as the largest in British Columbia." He also spoke of the good work being carried out by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

"The branch has done a lot of good work with pension cases," continued the president. He cited the Goodwin case in which the Pro Patria Branch had been instrumental in getting a new trial for Philip A. Goodwin, and said the committee would need more money this Summer for the pending new trial.

The silent toast "Our Absent Comrades" was proposed by Mr. J. Hinchliffe, M.P.P., who, in a few well-chosen words, spoke of the boys who had paid the supreme sacrifice "Over There."

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POLICE HAVE LITTLE TO DO ON VISIT OF PRESIDENT COSGRAVE

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—President W. T. Cosgrave of the Irish Free State, paid a hurried visit to New York today, and tonight was en route to Chicago. His brief stay consisted of not much more than a ride up Broadway, with a handful of officials, a few speeches, while 3,000 police, called out to preserve order, had almost nothing to do.

"My mission is one of friendship," the president told reporters. When asked to comment on the visit here of Eamonn de Valera, the Irish Republican leader, he said, "It would not be fitting for me now to speak of Mr. de Valera."

From Chicago President Cosgrave will go to Ottawa, arriving there on January 29.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—One hundred picked police will guard William T. Cosgrave, the Irish Free State President, during his visit in Chicago, tomorrow and Sunday, although no trouble is anticipated.

The Irish leader will arrive in Chicago shortly before 10 a.m. tomorrow.

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CANADIAN TRUST HAS GOOD YEAR

NET OPERATING PROFIT OF $268,702 PILED UP BY COMPANY ONE YEAR OLD

Average Capital Employed Is $1,233,733, While Sum Subscribed Is $7,000,000

Operations of the Canadian General Investment Trust Ltd., for the calendar year 1927 were exceptionally prosperous, judging by the interim report prepared by the management and now being distributed to the shareholders.

During the year earnings from interest and dividends on securities held amounted to $68,295. Earnings from realized profits on securities which were sold amountdd to $202,694, and, after providing for all expenses incurred, there was a net operating profit of $268,702. From this a dividend on July 1 of three per cent. and a dividend payable as of January 1 for the last half of the year, likewise of three per cent. making a total disbursement of six per cent. were declared, requiring $69,691, and leaving a balance forward of $199,010. From this an appropriation of $50,000 was written off organization expenses, leaving a balance forward to the credit of profit and loss account of $149,010. In addition the value of securities now held at present market prices as compared with their purchase price represents a profit of about $140,000.

The Trust was organized in January last year, and commenced business shortly thereafter. A limited amount of capital was at the disposal of the management in the first half of the year, but it was not until the last few months that substantial accumulations of capital were available to provide a large investment account. The average capital employed throughout the year was $1,233,733. The subscribed capital at present amounts to approximately 7,000,000.

ASSETS SHOWN

Among the assets shown on the balance sheet as at the end of 1927 was investments and accrued interest and dividends thereon totaling $6,394,578. The actual market value at that time was $6,470,000. Call loans are shown at $150,525, and securities sold for settlement $40,969. Deferred charges, less the amount written off for underwriting expenses, are shown at $282,267.

The share capital is shown among liabilities as $7,049,500, of which $2,857,098 remains unpaid. Bank loans and accrued interest total $953,093, and other loans and accrued interest $687,720. Securities bought for settlement total $824,327, while the profit and loss account stands at $149,010.

The list of securities held by the Trust is of more than ordinary interest in view of the newness of this class of investment organization in this country. The major portion of the General Investment Trust funds are placed in bonds and senior securities, as shown in the following table:

	Per Cent
Bonds	45.0
Preferred stocks	20.5
Bank and trust companies	2.0
Railway and public utilities	11.5
Oils	6.5
Other investments, including industrial common shares	14.5
Total	100.0

Sixty-seven different bond issues are held by the Trust. Practically all are companies located and operating in Canada. The same situation exists in regard to preferred share holdings, of which forty-one are listed in the report. Nine bank and trust stocks and twenty-three railway and public utility stocks are held. Here the interest is largely in American companies. Industrial and oil common stocks held number forty-nine, divided equally between Canadian and American concerns.

PALESTINE MENACED BY LOCUST PLAGUE RAGING IN EGYPT

JERUSALEM, Jan. 20.—Palestine is threatened with a plague of locusts from Egypt and the Agricultural Department is taking steps to prevent the insects crossing the frontier.

The locusts have been reported on the Sudan-Egyptian frontier and fears are expressed that they soon will invade Palestine. Locust plagues have been feared in Palestine since biblical days.

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Good Sound Onions and Parsnips, 8 lbs. for 25¢
New Red Rhubarb, per lb. bunch 18¢
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PREMIER BUYS SILVERADO MINE

Ratification Will Be Made by Shareholders of Company Here on Wednesday Week

NEW COMPANY TO BE ORGANIZED

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Another feature in connection with the transaction which manifests the abiding faith that the new purchasers have in the Silverado mine, is the fact that $50,000 in cash is to be paid over at once upon the winding up of the affairs of the old company, and the organization of the new Silverado Consolidated.

This will be available for distribution among the shareholders and will represent something like twelve or thirteen cents a share. This $50,000, which is advanced by the Premier in cash will eventually be refunded to the company out of the earnings of the Silverado Consolidated. It will not, however, be a charge against the assets of the company and may not be paid out of them.

In the carrying on of the work at the property the Premier company will exercise control from the taking over of the project. The company will have the power to appoint a managing director, who will have full powers as to the direction and management of the affairs at the mine.

METHOD OF TRANSFER

In the matter of the Premier's taking over of its share in the capital stock of the new company it is arranged that as the work at the mine proceeds stock shall be issued to the Premier company in lieu of the amount it expends in the development of the mine. In this way the majority stock to the total of 550,000 shares will eventually pass into the hands of the Premier. The majority of the directors on the board will be nominated by the Premier people.

The deal that has just been put through by the directors of the Silverado company will be regarded in mining circles as an excellent one, as it enlists the active participation in the development of the property by the Premier company, which is one of the strongest organizations on the Coast. It carries also with it, not only the Premier company's participation in affairs, but has also the backing of the parent company, the American Smelting & Refining Company, one of the largest operators in the world.

The negotiations leading up to this consummation of a most important deal in the history of mining on the Coast was carried out with the directors of the Silverado Company, who are residents of this city, with Mr. R. M. Stewart, as president, by Mr. Dale L. Pitt, representing Mr. H. E. Guess, vice-president of the Premier Company and also holding a similar position with the American Smelting & Refining Company of New York.

The deal represents the careful judgment of those concerned, the directors having been in consultation with Mr. Pitt since January 9, when he arrived in the city, the negotiations having only been completed now.

The ratification of the deal by the Silverado shareholders will mean the immediate commencement of an aggressive policy on the property by the Premier people. The course taken by the Premier was only after the most excellent opportunities had been afforded them to investigate the worth of the Silverado.

ORE PROVES PROFITABLE

That the faith of the buyers in on this property was well warranted is afforded by the fact that a trial shipment of ore made recently from the mine, taken from various parts of the workings, gave a return of over $100 a ton on the fifteen-ton shipment. This was the result after all expenses both at the smelter and the shipments to the Shelby Smelter at San Francisco had been deducted.

It would now appear that with ample capital available and strong backing behind the company, a new era for the Silverado is about to begin. The situation of the mine is such that it is easily worked, and in the hands of the new company there should be no delay in getting the property on a paying basis. The terms of the agreement entered into all point to this fact.

CONVENIENCE OF LOCATION

The Premier Company already owns close to the Silverado the Prosperity Group, which has made a magnificent showing under the development carried out by the Premier management. The two properties are located near the apex of the mountain ridge that lies just overlooking the town of Stewart across the mouth of the Bear River. In the case of the Silverado, the holdings lie on the side nearest to Stewart and slope down to the water precipitously. The Prosperity Group is located over the divide on the Marmot River watershed.

While no announcement is made by the Premier management with respect to the working of the properties, there is a general feeling on the part of mining men that it is more than probable that a tunnel may be driven to connect the two workings, and that by aerial tramline the ore from both of them would be taken by gravity to the vicinity of Stewart. Such an undertaking would be carried out simply and would be most economical in the matter of handling both from the standpoint of transporting ore and supplies in return.

Robs Grandmother to Pay for Honeymoon

WINNIPEG, Jan. 20.—One year in jail was the sentence given Douglas Malcolm, the youth who robbed his grandmother of $460 of her savings and used the sum to take his bride of three months on a trip to Vancouver.

Malcolm, penitent, appeared in court and heard his grandmother, whom he had robbed, plead for leniency.

"Sir, you pushed your acquaintance on my daughter, declared your love for her and even kissed her. What excuse have you?"

"It was terribly dark."

B. C. Goats Shipped to South America

—Photograph by courtesy of Vancouver Daily Province.

ABOVE is a picture of four purebred Saanen goats recently shipped to the Republic of Colombia by members of the British Columbia Goat Breeders' Association through the efforts of Prof. H. M. King, of the University of British Columbia.

The Republic of Colombia recently appointed Mr. Fred Stark, of Tavistock, Ont., as livestock commissioner and, with a view to improving its position in dairying, purchases have been made in the East of Holsteins, Ayrshires and Jerseys. On the representations of Professor King that the best goats were to be obtained in British Columbia, the above animals were bought as foundation stock.

On the left is a young buck, Cedar Jaure Donald, bred by Mr. John Gillespie, of Victoria, and sold by Tyler's Goat Dairy, Victoria; this buck is from a dam which gave fifteen pounds (six quarts) of milk in a day and won the milk contest at Victoria Fair in 1927. The doe second from the left is Cranley Francesca, bred and sold by Mr. F. B. Monteith, North Vancouver, which won first at the Vancouver Kid Show in 1926, and is from a doe which was grand champion Saanen at Vancouver in 1926 and 1927. Third from the left is Columbia Princess, bred and sold by Mr. J. W. Roberts, New Westminster. She was the winner of the challenge cup for best purebred doe kid at Vancouver Kid Show and as a yearling was champion purebred Saanen at Vancouver and New Westminster. At first kidding she gave eight pounds (over three quarts) daily. The goat on the right is Harlidene Joy, bred and sold by Mr. H. G. Leeworthy, Vancouver, from a five-quart milker, Three Oaks Juanita Joan.

LEGION MAKES RAPID GROWTH

SIR PERCY LAKE, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., TELLS MEMBERS OF PROGRESS MADE

Annual Dinner of Branch Is Great Success—Membership Shows Expansion

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In proposing the toast of "Our Empire," Rev. A. B. W. Wood spoke of the vastness of the Empire and acclaimed it as the greatest empire the world has ever seen. "It consists of a big family with the Mother Country to which we all offer our allegiance as a bunch of grown sons," said the speaker.

ALWAYS ATTENDS

R. Macnicol, secretary of the Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion, was called upon to propose the toast "Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L." The speaker told his audience that he had never missed the annual dinner of the Pro Patria Branch, and he hoped that he would have the pleasure of attending many more in the future. He referred back to the time when he was president for two years, and spoke of the co-operation he received while holding such office.

"As one who works on the inside," continued the speaker, "I am in a better position to see the growth and work that is carried out by the legion than a number of other officers.

"In the last three months 853 new members have been secured in British Columbia, 480 of whom were received in December. The Canadian Legion is going forward, with four new charters being issued in this province recently, and two new applications in the last nineteen days.

Powell River is the newest addition to the scope covered by the Canadian Legion," stated Mr. Macnicol.

Before resuming his seat, the speaker spoke of the sacrifice made and the good work being done by General Sir Percy Lake, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., and Colonel W. W. Foster, Dominion and provincial presidents respectively.

GENERAL LAKE GREETED

A rousing reception greeted General Sir Percy Lake, as he rose to respond to the toast, "Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L." The legion is a body of men who have served their country, banded together to hand down the ideals of comradeship. It stands for the welfare of Canada and the Empire and for the care of men and women and maintenance of world peace," he said.

"The legion is what might be termed a lusty infant," stated the speaker, "with branches in the United States and Canada. There are at present 519 branches in the Dominion, with 123 ladies' auxiliaries. In British Columbia there are ninety-two branches and twenty-two ladies' auxiliaries, while nine new branches are being formed."

Speaking of the work carried out by the headquarters, he stated that they had gained concessions on t' behalf of the T.B. comrades. Over 600 cases a week were handled by this office, said Sir Percy Lake. The singing of "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" followed the speaker as he resumed his seat.

Colonel F. A. Robertson, D.S.O., sponsored the toast, "Our Guest," while Hon. W. C. Nichol replied. In extending a welcome to the guests, the speaker referred to the unavoidable absence of His Honor R. Randolph Bruce.

A tumultous applause, which lasted for five minutes, greeted Mr. Nichol when he responded to the toast.

Mr. H. D. Twigg, M.P.P., proposed the toast to the Navy and Army, with Commander P. W. Nelles and Major Niven responding, respectively.

The decoration, which consisted or red, white and blue ribbons over the tables, was carried out by members of the Ladies' Auxiliary.

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Cabinet Meetings at Ottawa Are Suspended

OTTAWA, Jan. 20. — Cabinet meetings in preparation for the session are suspended, and ministers will not gather until Monday or Tuesday of next week. A few of the ministers have taken advantage of the lull to go out of town for a brief rest. Among them is Hon. J. A. Robb, who has not been in the best of health lately. Hon. Ernest Lapointe, minister of justice, is also away.

With the opening of Parliament and the visit of Mr. Amery scheduled for next week, and President Cosgrave due to arrive at the opening of the following week, members anticipate a busy period.

Brilliant Reception Held For Mr. and Mrs. Amery

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—A reception by the Women's Canadian Club this afternoon, to Rt. Hon. L. C. Amery, British Secretary for the Dominions, and Mrs. Amery, was one of the most brilliant affairs of its kind ever held in Toronto. More than 300 members of the club and their guests were present, including two sisters of Mrs. Amery—Mrs. Harry Moore, of Toronto, and Mrs. Frederick Cross, who traveled east with Mrs. Amery from Calgary.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—A private visit to Whitby, Ontario, was made this morning by Hon. L. C. Amery, British Secretary for Dominion Affairs, and Mrs. Amery, the couple returning here in time for luncheon engagements. Mrs. Amery was born in Whitby.

Poor Fishing Leads Aged Man to Suicide

ANACORTES, Wash., Jan. 20.—Leaving a note to his wife, explaining his act, Julius Stankus, aged fisherman, ended his life by carbon monoxide poisoning in the cabin of his fishing boat here yesterday. The note to his wife read: "No crabs, no fish, times hard; good-bye. Good luck."

Beer Made Plank In US. Labor Platform

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 20.—The American Federation of Labor will demand of both major political parties the inclusion of 2.75 beer in their campaign platform. This announcement was made today by President William Green after the legislative council of the federation had heard the plea of the United Brewery Workers presented by Joseph Overfeld.

Sir John Martin Harvey Recovering

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—Sir John Martin Harvey is progressing satisfactorily after an operation for an intestinal ailment, it was stated at Wellesly Hospital today. The eminent English actor, now on a Canadian tour, was stricken suddenly yesterday. He passed a good night, and his recovery is considered only a matter of three weeks or so. He is sixty-five years of age.

GUESTS AT WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Ignace Paderewski, the pianist, and former premier of Poland, and Mme. Paderewski, were luncheon guests of the President and Mrs. Coolidge today at the White House where, this afternoon, Paderewski played for Mrs. Coolidge's musicale. They were entertained at the White House along with Jan Ciechanowski, the Polish minister at Washington, and his wife.

Brown was giving his final bachelor party, and all was going well until a married friend approached him and said:

"Let me congratulate you, old man, I feel sure you will always look back on this day as the happiest in your life."

"Thanks," replied Brown, "but—er—it's tomorrow that I am getting married."

"Yes," agreed his friend. "I know that."

REVISED BOOK IS PUBLISHED

Measure Will Be Presented to Church Assembly for Consideration on February 6

STATEMENT MADE IN EXPLANATION

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It is explained that to print the declaration again at the end of the alternative order was deemed unnecessary because, being part of the existing book, it retained its authority as a statement of doctrine.

"But this explanation was regarded by many an insufficient," say the Archbishops. "In order to remove any possible misunderstanding the Black Rubric is now printed at the end of the alternative order as well as at the end of the order of 1662."

PROVISIONS CITED

The new deposited book, the Archbishops' statement continues, made provisions under certain conditions for reservation of the sacrament for communion of the sick. Rubrics were intended to make it clear that the bread and wine thus set apart were to be reserved only for the communion of the sick and for no other purpose, and that there should be no service or ceremony in connection with the sacrament so served. But it was urged that the Rubrics did not sufficiently guard these conditions.

"For example," continue the Archbishops, "power was given to archbishops and bishops to determine by rules other questions that might arise, and it was contended that such rules could from time to time be changed and would take the security of the rubrics."

In the amended book the most important of these rules are incorporated with the rubrics.

OPINIONS VOICED

Leaders of the religious bodies concerned are freely expressing their opinions. Bishop William Barnes, of Birmingham, who is one of the leaders of the opposition to the Anglo-Catholics, said:

"In the sixteenth century, Bishops Ridley, Latimer, and other great men were burned because they denied Papal supremacy and transubstantiation. It seems, nevertheless, that Viscount Halifax and others believe English churchmen of the twentieth century are ready to accept supremacy and transubstantiation. They are mistaken.

"We regard transubstantiation as a superstition, and we are not prepared to admit the Roman Church into our communion until the Vatican reforms more than its theology."

The possibility of a union was equally scouted by the Roman Catholics.

Father Woodlock, a prominent Jesuit priest, said:

"The Malines report is very misleading. It deliberately omits the record of the fundamental differences between the two churches.

"If union of Rome and Canterbury ever comes, it will be through the acceptance of Papal claims, which no Anglicans, not even Viscount Halifax, is prepared to acknowledge."

ROME, Jan. 20.—Reaffirmation that no attempt at resumption of the "Malines conversations," looking toward union of the Christian churches, or any similar effort, will be undertaken without the Pope's consent or encouragement, is contained in today's Osservatore Romano.

The Vatican organ's restatement of the principles contained in the recent Papal Encyclical is in reply to a brochure by Lord Halifax, chief Anglican participant in the Malines conversations, with the late Cardinal Mercier, in which Lord Halifax deduced that the Pope's personal benediction bestowed upon him at an audience also covered his "lifelong work for reunion."

Osservatore says that the Pontiff at the time of the audience saw Lord Halifax only for a brief moment in the presence of others, and that his benediction certainly was not to be interpreted as approval of his movement. The article concludes with the statement that the Pope never took official cognizance of the Malines conversations, which "occurred between private individuals without a mandate of any sort."

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To Guard Niagara

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—It will cost $1,750,000 to preserve the natural beauties of Niagara Falls, according to the estimate made by the Special International Niagara Board.

In an interim report by the board, issued by Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, the opinion is expressed that "with adequate action," supervision and control by the two governments, the scenic beauty of the falls can be preserved for the enjoyment of future generations.

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NO DECISION BY MR. MANSON

Parent Body Baptists' Appeal Against Name Used By Separatist Group Still Unsettled

The matter of appeal against the name "Regular" adopted by the new separatist Baptist body in filing its incorporation papers was discussed by a group of Vancouver Island and Mainland Baptist clergy and laymen with the Hon. A. M. Manson, Attorney-General, on Thursday morning. The parent Baptist body was represented by Mr. R. T. Elliott, the claims of the separatist body by Mr. De Beck, of Vancouver, and Rev. Mr. Rowell, Victoria. No decision was reached.

The Baptist body organizing in Victoria under the name of the Central Baptist Church, is not an offshoot of any particular Victoria church, there having been no trouble over any theological issue in any local congregations, says one of the Baptist pastors.

The Regular Baptists were incorporated in British Columbia last July as the Convention of Regular Baptists of British Columbia.

LASH FOR BOXER

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—Harry "Kid" Marshall, former boxer, received ten years and twelve strokes of the lash yesterday when he was found guilty of participation in a $45,000 jewelry store robbery here.

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$6,500 Oak Bay Residence—Containing 8 large bright rooms, hardwood floors, built-in features, panelling and beam ceilings, especially nice electric fixtures and blinds, extra shower bath, garage with cement floors and driveway. Garden laid out in lawns, flower beds and large oak trees. Splendid residential location, near school, beach and car. Heavy reduction in price to $6,500.

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POLICE BOARD HEARS COURT CONVICTIONS LAST YEAR WERE 1,545

Chief John Fry Tells Body Automobile Accidents Here Numbered 1,643—Other Statistics

A total of $15,750 in fines and $120 in costs was collected in the city police court during the past twelve months, Chief of Police John Fry stated in his annual report of the Victoria Police Department, which has been presented to the City Police Commissioners.

In 1927 there were 1,545 conviction in the city police court, of which 783 were for infractions of city by-laws, 130 for infractions of the Government Liquor Act, 191 for violations of the Motor Act, 40 for stealing, 20 under the Indian Act, and 188 of Chinese who were found in gaming houses.

Fifteen persons were sent up for trial in the police court last year, and the number of cases which were dismissed or withdrawn totalled 107. The police held 228 persons for safe keeping.

The number of accidents to persons which were reported to the police were 269, and the police rendered first aid in 183 cases. The patrol wagon answered 2,028 calls during the past year. There were twenty-three inquests conducted by the coroner, Dr. E. C. Hart.

In 1927 there were 1,643 automobile accidents, of which 1,430 were compellable and 213 were non-compellable. Six persons were reported killed or fatally injured, thirty-two persons were reported seriously injured and eighty-eight persons were reported slightly injured.

REPORT DR. CLAY RESTING EASILY

Well-Known Local Minister Has Heart Attack En Route From Vancouver to Ottawa

WINNIPEG, Jan. 20.—Rev. Dr. W. Leslie Clay, of Victoria, moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, was reported tonight as seriously ill.

Dr. Clay was removed from the train here on Thursday morning suffering from a heart attack. He wasen route from Vancouver to Ottawa to attend the State dinner in connection with the opening of Parliament, and all his engagements have been postponed.

Dr. Clay's family in Victoria, last evening, received a brief telegram stating that he was resting easily, although not out of all danger.

GOVERNMENT HAS NO POWER TO AID

Irrigation Users in Okanagan Are Told Dues Cannot Be Relaxed Without Statutory Action

In reply to requests from the delegation representing the irrigation areas of the Okanagan, the Government yesterday announced that it could do nothing in the matter of allowing an extension of time for the payment of the dues under the irrigation schemes. The delegates asked that pending the announcement of the terms of Major W. G. Swan's report on the subject that relief be afforded the farmers affected, so as to allow of their delaying the payments without incurring the penalties.

The reply of the Government was that the rules for the paying of the dues were statutory, and that only by amending act of the Legislature could redress be afforded.

Under the regulations, the payments under the irrigation schemes are payable on or before January 31. If they are not so paid, an additional charge of fifteen per cent of the amount is levied against the property. This is the feature that the delegation sought to escape. It was asked that awaiting the announcement of policy on the part of the Government following the Swan report that the hand of the collector be withheld, and if the rates were lower when the Swan report was considered, that the new rate be made retroactive.

The Government refused to act, declaring that it was powerless in the matter. Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, pressed upon the delegation that it leave its fate in the hands of the Government and it would be safe. Premier MacLean at the same time wanted to know when the Government could expect a surcease from the constant demands for relief for the fruitgrowers.

The delegation from the Interior was composed of Mr. T. French and Major McGuire, of Vernon, and Captain Bell and Mr. Felix Corsorno, of Kelowna.

Merger May Rival Standard Oil Co.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—A possible rival of the Standard Oil interests for world trade was seen today in announcements of plans for a merger of two of the largest of the so-called independent oil companies in the United States, the Texas Corporation and the California Petroleum Corporation with combined authorized capitalization of approximately $375,000,000.

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Man Originally Insect Eater, Says Professor

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 20.—(Vancouver Province Cable).—Man is descended from a small, insect-eating animal, said Professor Radcliffe Brown, in an address before the Australian Science Congress at Hobart.

The first step toward man, according to the professor, was when this creature took to living in trees. The second was when he came back to the ground and tried a new experiment, of having two feet and two hands, instead of four feet and four hands.

Gorillas and other members of the ape family failed to become human, because they compromised, and retained much of their tree life.

BEN HUR GIVEN PREMIER HERE

PICTURE DRAMATIZATION OF FAMOUS BOOK SEEN BY SMALL AUDIENCE

Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie Among Those at Dominion Theatre

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Helen Mackenzie were among the invited guests present yesterday morning at the Dominion Theatre to witness the premier showing of "Ben Hur," the magnificent screen dramatization of General Lew Wallace's famous tale of the coming of Christ.

The production surpasses anything that the ordinary mind can presuppose. It is stupendous in conception, worked out, both in its broad plan and in its finer details, on a scale which makes other spectacular productions seem puny by comparison. Never have Biblical architecture or scenes been presented with greater imagination or greater realism. The dramatization of the story has been remarkably well done by Fred Niblo, opening with the appearance of the Star of Bethlehem and Joseph and Mary on their way to the ancient Cave of David, the incidents succeed each other with a naturalness and rapidity which leaves one breathless. In the Nativity scene, produced in a series of colored pictures, Betty Bronson gives a chastely beautiful portrayal of the Madonna.

AN IDEAL CHOICE

Ramon Novarro was an ideal choice for the role of Ben Hur. Young, handsome, reserved, he played with consistently proud bearing. Either as head of the wealthy House of Hur or as the beaten galley-slave sweating in the dark shadows of the vessel, his bearing was distinguished. Francis X. Bushman, as Messala, the Roman centurion, was a striking figure, perfect in his acting. Mary McAvoy was attractively girlish in the part of Esther, the daughter of Simonides, the slave; and Carmel Myers was good in the brief role of the Egyptian siren who fails to lure the young Ben Hur from his self-appointed task of vengeance.

The triremes, round which some of the most dramatic episodes of the picture revolves, are remarkable reproductions of the ancient Roman vessels. A stupendously spectacular episode is the battle between the Roman galley fleet and a fleet of pirate ships.

The chariot race, the photographing of which would furnish a very interesting story in itself, was artistically reserved as the climax of the pictorial spectacles. One felt enthused with the tense excitement of this. The love, hate, tyranny, vengeance, ambition and courage which are disclosed in various phases of the story previously are brought together in this contest of the race.

PROGRAMME OF MUSIC

Mr. Hanley Wells, Dominion Theatre organist, provided a fine programme of music to accompany the picture, among the numbers he played being Schubert's "Ave Maria," "Hymn to the Sun, "Heavens Are Telling," "Liebestraum," "War March of the Priests of Atholl," Bohm's "Cavatina," "Religioso" (Bohm), Tschaikowsky's "Andante Cantabile," the prize song from Meistersinger; "Barcarolle" (Tschaikowsky), and Tschaikowsky's 5th Symphony Andante.

Among those at the showing of the picture in addition to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Miss Mackenzie and Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn, were Mr. and Mrs. James Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter, Major and Mrs. Seale, Mr. B. C. Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, Mr. and Mrs. John Woods, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lemm, Mr. and Mrs. James Adam, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sehl, Mrs. P. Irving, Mrs. R. P. Rithet, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Turpin, Rev. A. deB. Owen, Mrs. E. Parsons, Rev. Clem Davies, D.D., Mrs. George Grant, Mr. Carl Stocker, and others.

AIR MAIL SERVICE IN NEW ONTARIO

Effective January 23, a weekly air mail service will be in operation between Rolling Portage, Ontario, and Red Lake, Ontario, via Gold Pines, and from Red Lake to Gold Pines, Woman Lake and Narrow Lake, returning via Woman Lake and Gold Pines to Rolling Portage.

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It will no longer be necessary to affix Western Canadian airways special air mail stickers on mail forwarded over this route. The regular postage rates will cover all charges.

PIONEER KILLED

CALGARY, Jan. 20.—After lying unconscious in hospital since Tuesday, following a collision between a hotel bus and street car, C. H. Brown, pioneer of Big Valley, died last night. Arthur McIntyre, driver of the bus, has been held by the police since the accident.

CITY FREE OF SERIOUS CRIME

DEPUTY CHIEF H. J. O'LEARY PRESENTS ANNUAL REPORT OF DETECTIVE DEPT.

Thefts of Automobiles Increasing—Three Hold-Ups Occur Here During Past Year

"I am pleased to state that we have been exceptionally free of serious crime in 1927," Deputy Chief of Police Harry J. O'Leary stated, in his annual report of the City Detective Department, which was presented to the Police Commission at its meeting this week.

"Thefts of automobiles are increasing, there being twenty-seven more reported during 1927 than in 1926. Two of the stolen cars," he said, have not been recovered as yet. There were 233 bicycles stolen during 1927, 142 of which have been recovered.

"Three hold-ups were reported during the year, but no description could be obtained of those responsible."

IDENTIFICATION BUREAU

The Deputy Chief, in referring to the work of the Bureau of Identification, said that out of the 130 persons fingerprinted and photographed during 1927, thirty were identified after having their fingerprints taken as having previous criminal records in various cities of the United States and Canada.

The bureau receives fingerprint cards from several cities in Canada and the United States, and also large numbers of circulars from the Department of Justice at Washington, D.C. There are now approximately 60,000 cards on file in the bureau. In order to take care of the increasing accumulation of cards, it will be necessary to add one nine-cabinet drawer to the system during 1928, Deputy Chief O'Leary declared.

VAGRANTS LEAVE CITY

The report indicated that the city had a large number of vagrants or "down-and-outers," who stow away on the ferry boats from Vancouver to Nanaimo, and from there "beat their way" to Victoria. Most of these were given an opportunity to leave the city. The city also had the usual influx of prostitutes, and they too were kept moving, he stated.

As the motor car now being used by the Detective Department was four years old, and in very bad repair, Deputy Chief O'Leary suggested that a new car be purchased for the use of the department.

ANGLE PARKING ABOLITION URGED

Inspector J. T. Boulton Offers Suggestions to Better Facilitate Movement of Traffic

"Angle parking is the cause of a great deal of obstruction to through traffic, and I am of the opinion that, in order to better the free movement of traffic, angle parking should be gradually abolished in the business area. As a preliminary movement along these lines, I would suggest that Douglas Street, between Fort Street and Pandora Avenue, be placed on the parallel parking system," said Traffic Inspector J. T. Boulton, in his annual report of the traffic department, received by the Police Commission this week.

Inspector Boulton said that the movement of traffic could be better facilitated at the corner of Broad and View Streets, if about two feet six inches to three feet were to be taken off the sidewalks on the southeast and northwest corners; also, at the corner of Port and Broad Streets if two feet six inches to three feet were taken off the northeast corner.

The report contained the suggestion that the parking of vehicles within fifteen feet of the property line be prohibited in the business district.

During the past year 666 prosecutions were instituted for infractions of the traffic regulations, and also twenty-five for other offences. There were fifteen juvenile court cases.

INSTRUCTION POLICY

In dealing with the motoring public, a policy of education and instruction has been carried on with a cautioning for minor infractions. This, no doubt, is having a much desired effect as observed in the co-operative attitude of the majority of drivers towards the traffic officer, the inspector said.

A course of instruction on safety measures for pedestrians, cyclists and motorists, to be given by the teachers to all the children attending the public schools, has been inaugurated by the courtesy of the School Board and the co-operation of Inspector G. H. Deane, who has supplied each teacher with a copy of the material furnished by this department.

During the past year 10,359 motor vehicles, including 186 motorcycles, wer licensed to local owners. This shows an increase of 1,069 over the previous year, and there is every appearance of a still greater increase this year.

A general supervision of all vehicles engaged in the business of carrying passengers has been kept, with a monthly inspection and brake test of "jitneys" and sightseeing vehicles.

Some men would rather hug delusion than embrace opportunities.

FLIGHT PLANNED

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 20.—(Vancouver Province Cable)—A. L. Moody, who will shortly attempt a flight to New Zealand, will be accompanied by Howard Jolley, civil aviator. Mrs. Moody will not accompany her husband, as was intended. It is expected that the hop-off will be made at the end of the month or early in February.

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CANADA'S NAVY

The policy of the Canadian Government in respect to naval needs is not a policy of expansion so as to equip this country with a Navy, but a decision has been reached to replace the two destroyers—Patriot and Patrician—by two new vessels at a cost which indicates that no development need be anticipated. The new destroyers are to be built at from $1,000,000 to $1,350,000 each. They will be of about the same size as the destroyers they replace, namely, of 1,000 tons or slightly over. The vessels which are being lent to Canada for use during the construction of the new destroyers—the Torbay and the Toreador—are of the Thornycroft "S" class completed in 1919, of 1,075 tons displacement and 36 knots speed. The Patriot and Patrician belong to the Thornycroft "M" class, were completed in 1916, are of 1,000 tons displacement and 35 knots speed. The contemporaries of these vessels in the Royal Navy were scrapped in 1921, so that Canada is some seven years behind the times in a replacement policy.

The character of the vessels to be constructed for the Canadian Navy do not hold out any hopes that any new policy is in contemplation. There has been discussion at Ottawa of the need of replacing the present destroyers by up-to-date vessels, that is to say, by vessels of the Amazon class, which would cost $2,750,000 each. The Mackenzie King Government has come to the conclusion that such types cannot be afforded by the country and hence the decision not to attempt to improve on the present class of destroyers in commission here.

When Mr. Mackenzie King outlined Canada's naval policy at the recent Imperial Conference all he was able to point out was that during the previous five and a half years the personnel of the permanent Canadian Navy had been transformed from 450 officers and men borrowed, or specially engaged, from Great Britain and 50 Canadians, to 40 borrowed ranks and ratings and 460 Canadians. He also told the meeting of Imperial Prime Ministers that the Canadian R.N.V.R. had an authorized strength of 1,000 and there was a Canadian R.N.R. of 150 officers and men. The replacement of the Patriot and Patrician by new vessels of practically equal tonnage will not call for any increase in personnel. Canada remains where she is and has been in the matter of naval defence. The Liberal Government at Ottawa is too preoccupied with the rights and status of the country to bother about the responsibilities which a growing commerce and an increased complexity in the world situation involve.

VICTORIA'S POLICE FORCE

A sidelight on the activities of the local police of a pleasing character is forthcoming in the report of Inspector J. T. Boulton on the work of the traffic officers during the past year. It is noted that 666 cases were up in the Police Court and only four of these were dismissed. This is an excellent record and speaks highly for the care exercised by the traffic officers in carrying out their duties and for the skilful direction of Inspector Boulton.

Attention might also be drawn to the fortunately low record of crime in this city. The figures for the year must compare more than favorably with almost any city of the same size on the continent. This is due to efficient management and direction of the Police Force, under Chief John Fry, and it may be said that it is also a tribute to the regulations that are framed from time to time by the Police Commission. The city is well served in this respect by its elected representatives, and well served also by the members of its Police Force, one and all.

In view of the record that has been achieved and the comparative freedom from crime, Chief Fry is on strong grounds in asking for certain increases in the pay of the members of his force. Victoria, as well as everywhere else, should recognize merit and be willing to afford awards for laudable results. We do not think there will be any complaint of any reasonable charater from the ratepayers if Chief Fry's request is met. The city is an excellently ordered community and much of the credit for this lies with the police and police administration. Victoria should be proportionately willing to acknowledge such excellent service.

OLD AGE PENSIONS

In Britain the Widows, Orphans and Old Age Contributory Pensions Act is now in force and no fewer than 1,250,000 persons are receiving benefits. The final section of the Act came into force at the beginning of this year under which an old age pension of 10 shillings a week is given to all workers insured under the National Health Scheme and to their wives if also over 65 years of age. This pension is given irrespective of any other means they may possess. The old, non-contributory, old age pension scheme formerly in force, in which the recipient must be 70 years of age, continues for all those persons who are not entitled to benefit by the new contributory scheme.

Under the new scheme 450,000 persons between the ages of 65 and 70 are drawing a weekly pension for the first time. It is noteworthy that the proportion of claims rejected is only 5 per cent; there are some claims still unsettled, but where these are finally allowed there will be payment of arrears as from the beginning of 1928. The claims for pensions can be lodged any time within four months of the claimant reaching the age of 65. Under the new legislation the ordinary Health and Pensions and Unemployment Insurance contributions ceased to be payable in respect of workpeople who are over 65 years of age. Employers, however, continue to pay their share and cannot make any deductions in wages. There are some cases in which a person over 65 years of age is not yet entitled to an old age pension because the number of the insurance contributions made are not sufficient. The employers' contributions, however, continue and will qualify them eventually for the pension. The scheme gives every promise of working out smoothly, and, at least, it has done away with a great deal of apprehension as to the future among the aged of Britain.

GIANT LINERS

Some years ago a general impression prevailed that the limit had been reached in the size of ocean liners, that, in fact, they had attained all the tonnage and dimensions that could be handled in connection with existing dockage and harbor conditions. The competition in the building of great vessels is again revived. The Cunard Company is to build a new liner which, according to accounts, will be the largest the world has ever known. It is to have a length of at least 1,000 feet, to be of 60,000 tons and to provide accommodation for 5,000 persons. It is to incorporate all the latest achievements of marine engineering and all the latest devices for the comfort and recreation of passengers. The total cost is to be in the neighborhood of $30,000,000, or an amount equal to the cost of the latest of battleships. At the same time the White Star Line is also to construct a gigantic liner for the Atlantic trade at a cost of about $25,000,000. The latter vessel will be built at Belfast, while the Cunarder will probably be constructed on the Tyne or the Clyde.

A DUAL LOSS

Victoria is bereaved of two old-timers by a sad coincidence within a couple of days by the deaths of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Nisbett. Both were well known, keenly respected and honored by all their friends and acquaintances, of whom there were many. They came here forty years ago and had made their home here ever since, and Mr. Nisbett was a contributor to Victoria's prosperity of the past as a wooden shipbuilder of high skill, as indeed was to be expected since he learned his trade in the Maritime Provinces. Deep sorrow will be felt at the passing of Mr. and Mrs. Nisbett, and The Colonist extends an expression of its keen sympathy to the daughters of the family, all of whom are well-known Victorians.

From a statement in our news columns it will be seen that a report of the City Police Commission appearing yesterday does an injustice to Mr. Thomas Cockrill, under circumstances which are explained there. The Colonist expresses its regret that a report, based on inadequate information before the Commission, should appear to do an injury to his reputation.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., January 20, 1928.

TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.08	38	42
Vancouver	--	30	36
Kamloops	--	8	16
Barkerville	--	2b	--
Estevan	--	36	44
Prince Rupert	.08	30	40
Dawson	--	16b	8b
Seattle	.02	38	42
Portland	--	32	36
San Francisco	--	44	60
Spokane	trace	18	24
Penticton	--	15	30
Vernon	--	2	16
Grand Forks	--	7	13
Nelson	--	6	26
Kaslo	--	7	22
Cranbrook	--	7b	14
Calgary	--	0	30
Edmonton	--	8b	14
Swift Current	--	8b	24
Prince Albert	--	18b	6
Qu'Appelle	--	14b	8
Winnipeg	--	8b	6

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; generally fair and not much change in temperature.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; unsettled and milder with occasional sleet or rain.

FRIDAY

Maximum	42
Minimum	38
Average	40
Minimum on the grass	34

Bright sunshine, 6 minutes.

General state of the weather, cloudy.

5 A.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.15; wind, N.E., 8 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.16; wind, E., 6 miles; raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.42; calm; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.12; calm; cloudy.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.10; wind, S.E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.10; wind, E., 10 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 30.28; wind, E., 4 miles; raining.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.20; wind, S., 6 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.16; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

I KNOW A ROAD

"I know a road in Palestine—
A long, strange, winding way
That runs and rises to the hills,
Then slips down to the bay;

"The road starts out at Bethlehem,
On Judah's fertile plain,
And passes by a manger bare,
In which a babe has lain.

"It winds where Jordan's fertile bank
Turns to a stony crest,
And far into the wilderness,
Where One has stood the test.

"It twists and twines up hill and down,
By postern-gate and wall,
Through country, village, city, town,
Past palace, hut and stall.

"It lingers by still Galilee,
As if to rest awhile;
Then hastens to the hills again,
In one long, curving smile.

"It listens here, as if to words
Its friends, the trees, would say,
As, bending o'er it lovingly,
They lift their arms to pray.

"It hesitates, as if to ask,
If it should still go on,
Then lifts its head to do its task,
And runs on straight and strong.

"It broadens out before the gate,
Rests near the olive tree,
Then leads into Jerusalem,
Where all the world may see.

"Then past the temple pillars tall
It winds in majesty;
It seems to have no end at all—
On, up past Calvary.

"And on and on, down through the years—
On goes this way of ways;
It levels out the mountain's fears
And sings the valley's praise.

"It does not end in Palestine,
It runs the world around;
You need not seek the holy land
To see its beauty crowned.

"It is as roughhewn, and as hard,
Today as e'er before;
You, too, may see the bleeding feet
As they go by your door.

"It is a sun-baked, stony road,
But some who walk it find
The footprints of a Traveler,
With love upon His mind;

"With sunshine in the face of Him,
With joy in word and way,
And strength to share your load if you
Will walk with Him today."

—Carl Vinton Herron,
In The Christian Century.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Three young girls in the little restaurant where Mary is now but a shade were discussing the peculiarities of another young girl. All girls are young nowadays, or at least look young, and all young girls appear to be more interested in other young girls than in young men. That is one quality which distinguishes young girls from young men. The peculiarity of the young girl under discussion was that she was never satisfied with her job and was always looking for a perfect job. Like man as described by the poet, woman never is, but always is to be, blest.

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For there is no such thing as a perfect job. Adam was the only man who ever had a perfect job, Eve was the only woman who ever had a perfect job. And neither of them had the sagacity to realize the perfection of their circumstances in life. Adam had nothing whatever to worry about. Ample provision had been made for his requirements and for the necessities of his limited household, although he had no household in the modern sense of the word, for under the climatic conditions in the delectable Garden a house would have been considered a superfluity. When the twain were an hungered, they had simply to stretch forth their hands, pluck and eat. Eve probably never complained that she had nothing to wear, for clothes were not fashionable in those happy and care-free days. In one respect we appear to be approaching that original condition, but clothes are not yet considered by the girls, whatever their age or condition in life, an absolute superfluity.

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Eve, although she had no dishes to wash nor any other apparent domestic duties to perform, did not think she had a perfect job. She considered a restriction on her diet as an arbitrary and unjust decree. The fruit she was forbidden to eat she stretched out her hand, plucked, and did eat. She tempted Adam to partake of the forbidden repast, and they both lost their jobs. And their descendants have been losing their jobs ever since. For no perfect job, for man or woman, has been found from that remote day even until the present day.

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There are misguided people who appear to believe that the men and women engaged in the newspaper business have perfect jobs. We know better, and every man and woman on the staff of The Colonist newspaper knows better. Even the printer in the other department, who appears to the people in this department to have a perfect job, thinks he knows better. The editor is a thorn in the flesh of the people in this department. The proprietor and the foreman are thorns in the flesh of the allied department.

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If we ascend to higher spheres of life, similar conditions will be found prevailing. We do not believe that even the King of Great Britain, who was once the King of all Ireland, too, thinks he has a perfect job. We are sure that if His Majesty were free to express an opinion, which, of course, he is not, he would admit that the politicians are thorns in his flesh. We know from published correspondence that the late Queen Victoria considered some of her ministers public nuisances, although she possessed in a high degree the affections of her subjects. We question whether the politicians of the present day are more broad-minded or more reasonable in their views than the politicians of other days. At any rate, there were no A. J. Cooks in the days of Queen Victoria.

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The presidency of the United States, with a big White House to live in and a princely salary to live upon, might be considered a perfect job, but President Coolidge does not seem to think so, for he has been assured that if he wants to retain it for another term at least, he has but to say the word and it is his. But Mr. Coolidge says he does not want that big and profitable job. He wants to retire and be rid of those thorns in the flesh, the politicians. He has been a thrifty man. He can afford to retire, do some fishing in due season and whittle sticks for a pastime when there is nothing else to do. He is willing to give somebody else a a chance to see if he can deliver a message that will be satisfactory to dissatisfied farmers and discontented manufacturers, to active Prohibitionists and busy bootleggers.

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Coming to our own country, one would think that Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King, with a majority of Quebec politicians solidly behind him, and an assurance of a handsome salary and generous parliamentary indemnities in front of him, would have a perfect job. But even lucky Mr. King is troubled with thorns in the flesh. One of the prickly thorns is the St. Lawrence Canal, which if constructed would provide a twenty-seven-foot navigable channel along about seventeen hundred miles of water and produce about five million horse power. The Premier thinks that great work would be a good thing for Canada, but other people think it would be an even better thing for the United States, so he hardly knows what to do about it. In the estimation of the opportunist Premier, the construction of the great canal is not a question of right or wrong; it is a matter of political expediency. He is anxious to do his duty, but if by doing his duty there is any danger of losing his job, he will not do his duty. So there is at least one person in the world who believes he has a good job and is willing to throw principles to the winds in order to retain his job.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

"THE PEACE LETTER"

Sir,—The writer has no brief for or from the British Labor Party or any other party. At the same time, it does seem sane to see things whole and not to have things both ways. He at least does not forget that the Great War was "a war to end war," to "make the world safe for democracy," and to remedy many other major and minor ills specifically related to those who in the main bore the brunt of the last war. True, all these quite practicable promises, by statesmen and the press, have since been entirely ignored. But what about armaments, armies, "defensive" measures now, and the next war? Are your and my governors prepared to again let loose the same on similar promises? And what then? After this experience, should any sane man listen to them?

In your leader today, under above heading, we are told that Mr. Baldwin made "the only reply that could be given by a man with red blood in his veins and with responsibility for the safeguarding of the future." Of course we men are all full-blooded, red-blooded heroes; but I doubt whether the safeguarding of the future, of liberty, or even our present undemocratic and insane financial system and monopoly, is really in any one man's hands. I doubt whether any individual's future, let alone society's, is in anyone's individual hands. And I am perfectly certain that Mr. Baldwin or Mr. Baldwin's Government is no more "responsible" for this than you or I.

Perhaps you will permit me to quote again the resolution signed by 128,770 persons, and presented by an ex., and again prospective, Minister to Mr. Baldwin. It ran: "We, the undersigned, convinced that all disputes are capable of settlement either by diplomatic negotiation or by some means of international arbitration, hereby solemnly declare that we shall refuse to support or render war service to any government which resorts to arms."

Well, are not intergovernmental or interfinancial disputes capable of adjustment in reason? If not, it is surely our first duty to change a system which, on this evidence, is based on unreason. Which, as I understand things, is precisely what these (above) signatories mean.

After all, there are today in Britain far more conscientious objectors—men who stand on their own feet and think their own thoughts, i.e., free men—than pacifists, and it is these in the main who signed the above resolution; just as the same stamp of men signed the Finance Inquiry Petition, and urged, prompted, the archbishop's action during the general shutdown in Britain last year.

These are signs of virility, and if they are on behalf of, as they are, the whole community, why should anyone condemn them solely because they seem, or are, born in a manger?

In this connection, your writer of Note and Comment has fashioned out of his own imagination a non-existing Frenchman who sees, with him, only "insanity" in any people that desires a people's government. He tells us of "the cupidity of the mass of voters," including, of course, the parsons, doctors, lawyers, etc. This latter may be true. But it is not true; it's ludicrously untrue, to affirm, as he does, either that we or any people have "responsible government" or that "Labor" in Britain proposes to "confiscate" either "accumulated wealth" or "the mines." Errors on his part, doubtless due to the extraordinary fact that the publications, personnel, principles and policy of the sole alternative government in Britain are unknown in Victoria, even in the provincial legislative library.

A. G. CROFTON.

360 Cook Street, Victoria, B.C., January 18, 1928.

REPLY TO REEVE ELRICK

Sir,—I shall esteem it a great favor if you will grant me the space in your valuable paper that I may reply to the statement made by Reeve Elrick of Esquimalt, as published in your issue of recent date.

At a public meeting he held up an envelope and stated as follows: If the people of Esquimalt knew the contents of this anonymous letter, which he stated he had experts at work on and they had discovered the author, they would then know why Chief of Police Dawley was dismissed.

I wish to take exception to this underhanded way of doing business by Reeve Elrick, as he also stated that I could have demanded a reason for my dismissal. As a matter of fact he refused to give me a reason. Why?

I can only presume that the statement he made to me about five minutes before the Police Commissioners' meeting, held ostensibly to consider the estimates for the coming year but which turned out to be for the purpose of discussing the dismissal of myself as Chief of Police, that he was tired of receiving complaints about me over the phone was intended by Reeve Elrick to be the reason for my dismissal.

I pointed out to him that he could easily and with dispatch settle any complaint along these lines by being fair to both myself and the complaining party or parties, by obtaining a written complaint, signed by the complainant. This did not evidently meet with his approval, but he offered to give me a good recommendation if I would resign, and this I refused to do, and he then told me, as near as I can remember, that "You may remain for several months yet, but we will get you."

I refused his recommendation because I did not consider it would be of any value. I made up my mind to try some other vocation, as I felt confident that the Police Commission of Esquimalt did not need a policeman so much as a politician, and further, I will state plainly to both Reeve Elrick and Commissioner Painter that if they wish true facts of my dismissal made public I will gladly give all details to the public, and I will not rely on anonymous letters or phone calls to substantiate my statements, but will be prepared to back my words with facts and not be afraid of the consequences.

In passing, Mr. Editor, I may say that as I am absolutely through with the affairs of Esquimalt, I wish both Reeve Elrick and his followers to lay off me altogether, or I shall be forced to take means to defend my reputation.

H. B. DAWLEY.

Courtenay Hotel, Courtenay, B.C., January 17, 1928.

MINING STOCKS

Sir,—I seek information. Should a woman be considered gullible and lacking in intelligence who buys mining stock on the following representations: That the property, according to a properly accredited mining engineer's report, is one which under development there is every reason to believe will prove of great commercial value. That the men associated with the undertaking are men of good social standing, men one usually credits with brains—lawyers, bankers, chartered accountants—men one would naturally trust to quickly detect technical errors which may jeopardize the interests of the company. Men of the Royal Navy, of the Imperial Army, men one would expect to possess a sense of honor sufficiently keen to enable them to realize their responsibility. Surely it would seem that a woman could trust the business end of transactions to such men with reasonable safety?

Why do they allow their names to be used? Is it made worth their while to do so? Or, is it a sop thrown to their vanity by the men who use them?

If I am correct in my observations it is not the properties which are usually found to be at fault when shares are rendered valueless, but it is owing to the manipulations that take place, of which the shareholder is entirely ignorant, and not only ignorant, but it would seem helpless also, or is it not the law which is lax in allowing men unrestricted licence to act as they may think fit.

One realizes that the quantity of ore in a mining property is a gamble, until proven, and should it fail to reach one's expectations one is prepared to "take one's medicine," with a smile, but men's honor and integrity should not be a gamble. Is it possible that one must conclude with King David that all men truly are liars? That the whole fabrication is a sham; that each man is but seeking to gain his own ends—and the devil take the hindermost?

This would be an unfortunate conclusion—but, alas! how difficult it is to distinguish which is which? The same language is used, the same high-sounding terms, the same seeming conformity to regulations and laws.

It may be suggested that the thing to do is to be sure of the men associated with the undertaking. Ah—but there's the rub. If it is not safe to trust such men as I have enumerated, whom could one trust? One is prepared to take a chance, but it seems that one should have a fair run for one's money.

DOROTHY HANMAN,

503 Sayward Building, Victoria, B.C., January 20, 1928.

Knights of Pythias Officers Installed

Mr. William P. Vosper, newly installed chancellor commander of the Far West Lodge, No. 1, Knights of Pythias, during the coming term, will carry out a programme embracing increased membership in the lodge and the restoration to active membership of those who have lost interest in lodge work.

The following officers were duly installed by Deputy Grand Chancellor George W. Allison and assistants:

W. P. Vosper, C.C.; George Todd, V.C.; Alfred A. Hockley, prelate; J. M. Utteridge, M. of W.; A. G. H. Harding, K.R.S.; W. J. Webb, M. of E.; A. G. H. Harding, M. of F.; M. H. Barry, M. at A.; George Robinson, inner guard; L. Mackay, outer guard.

It was announced that Grand Chancellor Thomas J. Wadman, of Revelstoke, expects to make his official visit to the lodge on February 2. On February 9 the local temple of the Dramatic Order, Knights of Khorassan, will stage a frolic and dance in the Temple Hall, North Park Street, commencing at 8:30 o'clock.

Alberta Hail Claims Break All Records

CALGARY, Jan. 20.—Hail insurance claims to the total of $2,515,000, representing a loss of seventeen per cent of the total risk involved, were paid in 1927 by the Municipal Hail Insurance Board of Alberta, according to figures disclosed at last evening's session of the U.F.A.

This amount, H. Tovell, chairman of the board, declared was the heaviest hail damage in a similar area ever recorded on the North American Continent, and had placed the board in a position where it had been compelled to apply its entire reserve in partly meeting the claims.

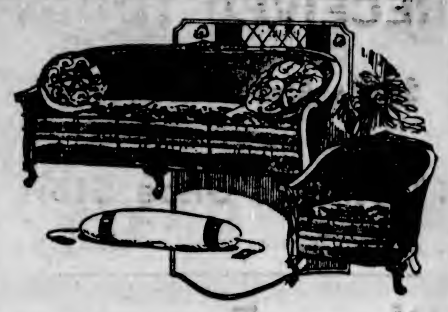
FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of January 21, 1878)

Installation of Foresters—On the evening of January 20, 1878, under the direction of G. W. Anderson, District Chief Ranger, assisted by Bros. E. J. Salmon and H. Smith, the following officers were installed for the ensuing year: John Braden, J. Barron, H. Boar, F. Paine, J. Webb, H. Morris, J. D. Campbell, M. Salmon, F. Saunders, Joseph Levy, E. J. Salmon, H. Smith, F. Morrison, W. Smith, D. Ferris, W. Gardner, B. M. Salmon.

Wilkinson and Bonanza Quartz—F. Barnard brought down with him from Cariboo the finest and largest collection of quartz ever seen in Victoria, and what makes the collection of more than ordinary interest is the fact that he has not brought specimen pieces, but an average taken from the entire width of the ledges. The quartz on exhibition at his office on Yates Street has already been viewed by hundreds of curious people.

Left—The steamer Maude left at her usual hour yesterday morning with the mails and the following passengers: Messrs. J. Nicholson, J. Wren, Francis, J. Gillespie, Shurton, E. G. Prior, T. Geiger, T. Burnes, F. Heisterman, H. Oppenheimer, and several others.



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VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—Sale of the Bullion Placer Gold Mine in the Cariboo for $250,000 to Revenue Mining Company, Ltd., of Vancouver, has been confirmed in Supreme Court by Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald.

On the application of F. R. McDiarmid, His Lordship ordered the legal representative of the late R. T. Ward, who was trustee of a ninety-six and a fraction per cent interest in the property, to take up the option, which would have expired on Saturday.

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SAVORY'S

Action Against Grant Morden Is Dismissed

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—The action for $17,000 brought against Grant Morden, of London, England, in the non-jury assizes here by the liquidators of the Home Bank, G. T. Clarkson and Isaac E. Weldon, was dismissed today by Mr. Justice Rose. The action was based upon three renewal notes signed in 1919 on behalf of the defendant by Charles A. Barnard, Montreal, formerly a director of the bank. Mr. Justice Rose indicated that the case hinged on whether the bank knew of the power of attorney claimed by Barnard while it still was in force, and acted on the strength of that knowledge. The bank had not had that knowledge, he said.

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CITY GETS OVER $675 IN FINES

Police Court Convictions in Dec. Total Seventy-Eight—Auto Accidents Reach 145

Fines and costs collected in the City Police Court during the month of December totalled $678.50, Chief of Police John Fry informed the City Police Commission at its meeting last night at the police station.

There were eighty-seven convictions in the police court during December, four persons were sent up for trial, fourteen were discharged, two were of unsound mind, and thirty were kept for safe-keeping. The police patrol wagon answered 194 calls during the month. The police rendered first aid in the case of seventeen accidents.

The police court fines and costs were as follows: City by-laws, $126; Government Liquor Act (drunks), $100; Government Liquor Act (other infractions), $155; Indian Act (drunks), $10, Motor Act, $220; Opium and Narcotic Drug Act, $17.50; undertaking to tell fortunes, $25; vagrancy, $25.

AUTO ACCIDENTS

There were 128 compellable auto accidents and seventeen non-compellable accidents, making a total of 145. They were as follows: Compellable, autos colliding, 108; autos colliding with pedestrians, 14; autos and cyclists colliding, 6. Non-compellable, autos and street cars colliding, 11; autos colliding with fences, poles, etc., 4; autos colliding with cluster lights, 1; autos colliding with unattended bicycles, 1. Persons reported killed or having received fatal injuries, 1; persons reported receiving serious injuries, 1; persons reported having received slight injuries, 14; fatally injured, Albert Wells, auto and motor cycle colliding; seriously injured, James Moffat, pedestrian struck by auto. Slightly injured, H. Edmunds, pedestrian struck by auto; Mrs. K. Alexis, pedestrian struck by auto; Mary Alexis, pedestrian struck by auto; Mrs. I. Wrigglesworth, pedestrian struck by auto; L. LaLonde, auto and cyclist colliding; Yeck, pedestrian struck by auto; B. Leonard, pedestrian struck by auto; Isaac Dixon, two autos colliding; Mr. Anderson, pedestrian struck by auto; P. D. Cornock, pedestrian struck by auto; Katherine Scroggie, two autos colliding; C. Yule, pedestrian struck by auto; Yanesha, pedestrian struck by auto; Fred Roberts, auto and street car colliding. Inquests: Dec. 15, Woo Juck, hanging, suicide; Dec. 20, Ethel Miller, gas poisoning, accidental death; Dec. 21, Albert Wells, auto collision, manslaughter; Dec. 31, Lionel Locke, drowning, accidental death.

OFFERS MADE FOR ALBERTA RAILWAY

C.P.R. and C.N.R. Both Involved, Premier Brownlee Reports

EDMONTON, Jan. 20.—The Alberta government today received from the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railway Companies an offer of joint purchase and operation of the Edmonton, Dunvegan & British Columbia Railway.

A separate offer for the purchase of the Alberta & Great Waterways Railway by the C.N.R. and another separate offer for the purchase of the Lacombe & Northwestern Railway by the C.P.R. will be received by the government in a few days, said a memorandum attached to the joint offer for the E.D. & B.C.

Announcement of the joint offer and of the two separate offers was made by Premier Brownlee Friday morning on his return from Calgary. The figure was not disclosed.

Pupil—But I don't think I deserve a mere nought.

Examiner—Neither do I, but it's the lowest mark I am able to give.

NIMPKISH IS CENTRE FOR ARGUMENT

Important Question Arises With Regard to Proposed Water Power Development in North of Island

APPEAL MADE TO WATER BOARD

Fishing and Logging Interests Seek Guarantees Against Disturbance of Conditions

Major J. MacDonald, comptroller of water rights of the province, has to consider what the effect of raising the level of the Nimpkish Lake by building a dam of 210 feet in height near the mouth of the river, will have upon the run of sockeye salmon, upon logging interests held in the land which will be inundated, and what the other injurious effects, if any, may be should this right be granted. After hearing the evidence, and the argument of various interests affected, the water commissioner withheld judgment, pending a full consideration of the matter.

The application for the right to erect the dam is made by the Canadian Forests Products Company, which is allied with the International Harvester Company, and which plans carrying on a sawmill on a large scale at Nimpkish. In doing so it is sought to have a dam erected near the mouth of the Nimpkish River.

COUNSEL REPRESENTED

There was a large array of counsel and others representing the various interests concerned in the matter at the hearing yesterday.

Mr. W. B. Farris appeared for the Canadian Forest Products Company; Mr. H. C. Lawson for the B.C. Fishing and Packing Company and six other companies interested in the Nimpkish Company; Mr. W. S. Lane for the Timber Investments Company; Mr. D. G. Marshall for the Canadian Fishing Company and the Nimpkish Logging Company; Mr. C. H. Locke for Wood & English Ltd., and the Nimpkish Shingles Ltd.; Mr. A. N. Smith for the trustees of the estate of Sir William McLaughlin and others; Mr. William Ditchburn, Indian Commissioner, for the Department of Indian Affairs; Mr. J. A. Motherwell, chief inspector of fisheries, for the Department of Fisheries; and Mr. Lindley Crease, K.C., for the Anglican Mission at Alert Bay, and for a group of Indian fishermen.

FISHING INTERESTS

In the matter of the fishing end of the business, it was represented by the various interests connected with that end that the river would be ruined as a sockeye stream if this dam were allowed.

The company proposed to overcome the situation that would be created by the putting in of fish ladders in the form of runways to cover a part of the 210 feet that was to be attained. This would be supplemented by the providing of mechanical devices, by which the fish would be assisted to the further elevation, and delivered on the other side of the dam. Similar action had been taken on the Baker River in the United States, and was attended with success.

This was met by the fishermen and the department representatives with the announcement that the Baker system was not satisfactory, and would not be a means of preserving the salmon run.

In addition to this it was shown that in any event the spawning beds would be ruined by the course proposed. The streams that ran down to the lake had deposited gravel, which was the natural spawning ground of the fish. The raising of the lake would obliterate this, and create new shores along the rocky lines higher up and among the trees, which did not form natural spawning places.

LOGGERS AFFECTED

On the part of the loggers represented there was put forward the argument that the damming of the water would cause the ruin of some $3,000,000 worth of timber which would offset the argument as to the dam being essential to the providing of industry in the line of a sawmill representing millions of dollars in expenditure.

The company, asking the privilege of the erecting of the dam, offered to meet the situation presented by any means in its power, looking to the overcoming of the danger of interfering with the spawning beds, and the ascent of the salmon to the lake.

In so far as the loss of timber was concerned the law was clear, it was stated by Mr. Farris, for applying company that compensation would have to be made for any loss in this direction.

Mr. Crease urged that the threatening of the fishing industry was a serious matter, as it could not be restored if once wiped out.

In this connection he also pointed out that the Indians living on the shores of the lake had had a permanent employment from year to year in the fishing industry, which if wiped out would be a serious matter as far as the aborigines were concerned.

Major MacDonald said the subject deserved careful attention. The Federal Government, as the protector of the fishing, while it had not the right to refuse the application for the dam, which lay with the provincial authorities, would probably have the right to blow it up as an obstruction to fishing if it were found to be such. He will decide the matter after carefully considering the evidence and representations.

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In British Columbia Court of Appeal

Rex vs. Lim Gim: Mr. Russell proceeded with the argument on the merits and the law bearing on this appeal, but the court, without requiring any extended argument by counsel for the Crown, dismissed both appeals and confirmed the conviction.

On the appeal by the Attorney-General as to the inadequateness of the sentences imposed, considering the gravity of the offence committed, Mr. Wismer, for the Crown, dealt with the evidence which showed that the accused dealt in a wholesale manner in drugs, his transactions extending across the continent, on both sides of the international boundary. The deal, in respect of which the present charge was brought, involved the purchase and sale of 200 cans of opium. He had a perfect code of letters and figures established, and carried on business with some noted white traffickers. His turnover in his legitimate mercantile business reached a figure of a little under a million dollars annually. As to the petition for clemency, and the letters written by leading Vancouver merchants as to the probity of the accused, Mr. Wismer pointed out that those signatories did not appear in court to give their evidence in the usual way.

Mr. Russell, for the accused, pointed out that the sentences imposed were of extreme severity for a first offence, and the recommendations of the heads of leading business houses should have, and doubtless did have weight with the trial judge when he pronounced sentence.

The Chief Justice indicated that this character evidence had not been given in court, where the witnesses could be cross-examined. He wondered how these witnesses would appear in the hands of a skilful counsel on cross-examination.

His Lordship, however, referred to the fact that when this man was being arrested a revolver was pointed at him. That should not have occurred.

Mr. Wood informed the court that the man who had the revolver was specially sworn in as a constable, and that be stated that the revolver was empty.

The Chief Justice remarked that nevertheless the production of a revolver was an abominable practice, and should not be tolerated in this country.

Judgment was reserved on the question of extent of sentence until Monday or Tuesday.

The question then arose as to the accused's liberty in the meantime, but it was shown that as the conviction had been affirmed by the dismissal of the appeals, the bail of the accused had lapsed, and his bondsmen were under duty to surrender him, or he could be arrested. Mr. Russell undertook to produce him in due course, but the court did not see that any extension of bail could be given in view of the termination of the appeals in respect of which the bail had been furnished.

The peremptory list for Monday follows:

Maddison vs. D. H. Bain & Co.; Holt vs. Andrews; Estates Ltd. vs. McKenzie; Rattenbury vs. Land Settlement Board.

Obituary

HEATER—Funeral service was held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for the late Captain George Heater, who passed away in the Vancouver General Hospital on Tuesday morning. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, M.A., rector of St. John's Church, officiated. During the service the hymn sung was "Lead, Kindly Light." Mrs. S. M. Morton sang a solo, "Crossing the Bar" (Behrend). Mr. Lawton Partington presided at the organ. There was an unusually large attendance of sympathizing friends present and the many beautiful floral tributes which covered the casket and hearse bore testimony to the high esteem in which the late Captain Heater was held by his many friends. E. P. Nathan represented the Woodman of the World. The following acted as pallbearers: Captain Stanley Fraser, Captain J. Gosse, Captain J. A. Christian, Captain D. K. Butler, Captain John Anderson and Captain W. Balcolm. The remains were laid to rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. The late Captain Heater was a native of Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, aged sixty-five years and a resident of this city for the past twenty-eight years. His late residence was at 1336 Denman Street.

ROSS—The funeral of Mrs. Bertha Ross, wife of Mr. James Ross, of 1127 Fort Street, will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. Robert Connell will officiate, and the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

FREDETTE—The remains of the late Mrs. Catherine Fredette were laid to rest yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from the residence, No. 1 Alma Place, Michigan Street, at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. de B. Owen officiating. Many friends were present, and the casket and hearse were covered with beautiful floral offerings. The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Messrs. H. J. O'Leary, P. J. Sehl, J. R. Hazard and George Cameron. Funeral arrangements were in the hands of Hayward's B.C. Funeral Company.

More than 1,000 workers of one of the leading steel plants of Sydney, Australia lost their positions through inauguration of a new restricted working scheme.

London has a detective-story craze.

MRS. C. G. NISBET SURVIVES HUSBAND BUT A FEW HOURS

Mrs. Catherine Gammel Nisbet passed away on Thursday evening at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Brown, 1115 Catherine Street, surviving her husband, Mr. Philip R. Nisbet, by only a few hours. On account of her weakened condition Mrs. Nisbet had not been informed of the death of her husband on Wednesday.

Coming of United Empire Loyalist stock, the late Mrs. Nisbet was born at Bras d'Or Lakes, Cape Breton, eighty-four years ago. She had lived her for thirty-eight years and was an active member of the Metropolitan Church.

Mrs. Nisbet is survived by three daughters, Mrs. T. H. Brown, Mrs. S. J. Willis and Mrs. C. E. Watkins, and five grandchildren, James Brown, Philip and Ned Willis, Tom and Gwen Watkins. The joint funeral service will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Metropolitan Methodist Church, Rev. Dr. Sipprell officiating, with interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CENTENNIAL HAS SHOWN GROWTH

All Reports Register Advance at Centennial United—Lecture Course Planned

The annual congregational meeting of Centennial United Church was held on Wednesday evening. There was a good attendance and a spirit of optimism and good will prevailed. The reports were all encouraging, every department showing a financial balance. The membership of the church had grown, twenty-five new members having been received during the nine months. The Sunday school had grown and the young people have now a strong organization, which has planned a fine programme of three courses of study touching various sides of life. The Ladies' Aid and the Women's Missionary Society both made excellent reports, the latter having gone well over its assessment. The official board by unanimous vote expressed appreciation of the work of the pastor, and pledged loyalty in their support for the future. The ladies of the congregation served refreshments, and a social hour was spent.

The session for the coming year is composed of the following members: W. C. Holt, J. Patrick, F. Burridge, W. S. Maguire, J. T. Jeffrey, A. Hibbs, J. Gray, C. Ninnie, W. Sones.

The stewards chosen are: W. C. Holt, J. Patrick, S. Patrick, T. Hammond, J. Alton, J. Prisk, A. Hibbs.

The Sunday school superintendent is Mr. F. Tupman; president of the Ladies' Aid, Mrs. J. Cox; president of the W.M.S., Mrs. S. Howard; president of the Young People's Society, Mr. J. Arnold; choir leader, Mr. F. Tupman, and organist, Mrs. M. Matthews.

NEW LEAGUE OFFICIAL

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—Lieut.-Col. George P. Vanier, D.S.O., has been appointed Canada's representative on the permanent advisory commission on naval, military and air questions of the League of Nations.

NO SEND-OFF FOR TROTZKY

Moscow Goes About Its Business in Ordinary Way—No Guards at Station

MOSCOW, Jan. 20.—Strange indeed are history's contrasts. When France led Robespierre to the guillotine all Paris was aflame with passion, but yesterday, when for the first time the newspapers carried briefly an announcement that Leon Trotzky and his chief aides were in exile, Moscow went about its daily business in its ordinary drab way, as if nothing untoward had happened.

Trotzky's manner of departure for the city of Verney, in Middle Asia, offered concrete proof of Stalin's determination under no circumstances to permit his adversaries to become martyrs.

The former war commissar went to the railway station accompanied by his wife and son, unguarded by a single soldier. A few score of his closest friends and several hundred passengers crowded about the train, catching but a faint glimpse of the once mighty army leader.

A parting peal of the station bell and the shrill whistle from the locomotive, a fairly chorused "Viva Trotzky,' the starting of the train; a few tear-stained faces, and the curtain fell on this tragic ending of a dramatic chapter of modern history.

ROBBER SUSPECT SHOT BY POLICE

Man Identified by Montreal Bank Manager Fails to "Put Up His Hands"

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—One man is dead and another is held at police headquarters, following the arrest today of two men suspected of being implicated in the hold-up yesterday of the Banque Canadienne Nationale of St. Denis Street. The dead man is Sidney Yarmul, a Russian, and the other held by police is Michael Racinich, also a Russian, who was with Yarmul.

Yarmul was shot this afternoon as he stood in front of a restaurant on St. Catherine Street, talking to Racinich. An automobile containing Detectives Belanger and Gauthier, Constable Bolduc and Armand Robillard, manager of the bank that was robbed, was driving slowly along the south side of the street when Robillard shouted: "There are two of the men."

Constable Bolduc immediately jumped out of the car and ran toward them shouting: "Put up your hands."

Yarmul, instead of complying, shoved his hands into his pockets and, as he did so, Bolduc pulled his gun and fired.

The man fell to the ground. Racinich made no resistance.

Crystal ornaments are becoming popular in France and London, necklets, brooches, rings and even shoe buckles being made of this substitute for diamonds.

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Pure Crab Apple Jelly, 4-lb. tins ... 53¢	Quaker Peas, size 5, 2 tins for ... 25¢
Pure Loganberry Jam, 4-lb. tins ... 48¢	Pure Honey, in bulk; bring container; per lb. ... 18¢

Brown Teapots, small, 20¢; medium, 30¢; large ... 38¢

Icing Sugar, 3 lbs. ... 25¢	Orange and Lemon Peel, per lb. ... 20¢
McLaren's Jell-Jell, 4 pkts. for ... 25¢	Saanich Clams, per tin ... 16¢
New Crystallized Ginger, special, per lb. ... 25¢	Small White Beans, 3 lbs. 17¢
	Red Lentils, 2 lbs. ... 19¢
Large Santa Clara Prunes, regular 18c lb., 2 lbs. 29¢	Heather Toilet Paper, 4 large rolls ... 25¢

Chocolate Eclairs, 1-lb. carton; regular 45c lb., for, lb. ... 32c

Red Arrow Sodas, large packet for ... 20¢	Hand-Rolled Chocolates, assorted, regular 45c lb., 33¢
Pantry Assorted Biscuits, regular 40c packet for ... 30¢	Turkish Delight, regular 40c lb. for ... 25¢
Huntley & Palmer's Malted Meal Biscuits, regular 35c packet for ... 25¢	Cowan's Mell-O-Milk or Royal Milk Chocolate Bars, each at ... 4¢
Sweet Navel Oranges, dozen ... 25c	King Apples, box ... $1.23
Imperial Valley Grapefruit, 4 for ... 27¢	Nice Juicy Lemons, dozen ... 22¢
Bitter Oranges, for marmalade, dozen ... 35¢	Okanagan Jonathan Apples, 4 lbs. for ... 25¢
New Dates, 3 lbs. ... 29¢	Florida Grapefruit, 3 for ... 27¢
New Mixed Nuts, lb. ... 19¢	Mexican Tomatoes, lb. ... 35¢
Fresh Rhubarb, bunch ... 21¢	California Cluster Raisins, box, 19¢
Good Local Potatoes, 25 lbs. ... 35c	Good Sound Onions, 8 lbs. ... 25c
Fine Turnips, 12 lbs. ... 25¢	Large Savoy Cabbages, 2 for 15¢
Large Head Lettuce, each ... 15¢	Fresh Celery, stick ... 15¢
Fresh Sprouts, per lb. ... 10¢	Fresh Carrots, 15 lbs. ... 25¢
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	Fillet Roasts, 2½ to 6 lbs., lb. 30¢
	Small Loin Roasts, lb. 28¢, 25¢
Pot Roasts and Boiling Beef, per lb., 18¢, 16¢ and ... 14c	Shoulder Roasts, lb., 23¢ and 18¢
	Sweet Brine Pickled Pork, per lb. ... 23c
Boneless Rolled Roasts, per lb., 22¢ and ... 19c	Fresh Cod, sliced, per lb. ... 20¢
	Halibut, sliced, per lb. ... 25¢
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PROGRESS OF B.C. IS TOLD

ATTORNEY-GENERAL A. M. MANSON SPEAKS AT ANNUAL MEETING OF LAURIER CLUB

Pays Tribute to Late Premier—Establishment of Laurier Clubs Is Commendable One

"I believe the establishment of the Laurier Club is a step in the right direction. The founding of the club on the ideals of so prominent a leader and statesman is commendable. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was not only a great Canadian but probably the greatest Imperialist Canada ever had. His conception of the Empire was one that very few have had. So long as we set our efforts to such ideals as those given us by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, we cannot help but progress."

Thus spoke Attorney-General A. M. Manson before a large gathering of the Laurier Club in the Dominion Hotel last night. These remarks prefaced an illustrated address on the progress of British Columbia.

The first picture to be flashed on the screen was that of the late Premier Oliver, and Mr. Manson paused for a few moments in his address to pay tribute to the former leader of the Liberal party. He sketched his career from a pit boy in the coal mines of England to his gradual rise in public life, until he held one of the highest positions to which he could attain in public life.

He told of the difficult period of reconstruction after the war, of the putting of the province on a sound financial basis.

"It was not an easy task. From pit boy to premier. What a story to tell to your children who talk of going South. There is a spirit of optimism in the story that should give you your answer to that boy or girl of yours who talks of going South."

"Preach the gospel of British Columbia and keep the boys and girls at home." That was the motto that Mr. Manson asked his listeners to keep before them.

"Today belongs to Canada. It was said by a famous Canadian statesman that the last century belonged to the United States and that the new century is our own. We are beginning to realize that more and more. There are fewer Canadians going South today than ever before in the history of Canada, and, furthermore, there are more returning than was ever known in Canadian history."

Mr. Manson then proceeded to give statistics on the progress of the province over a ten-year period. The periods of 1907 to 1916 and from 1917 to 1926 were compared. Agriculture had shown an increase over the past ten years of 192 per cent. On dairy products alone the increase in 1926 over 1916 was $8,000,000. He gave figures to show how the imports of this province were increasing.

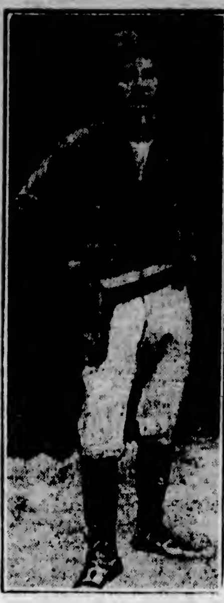
The reclamation of Sumas was more than paying for itself by the crops from 39,000 acres of land that had been put into use, and which at one time lay under water. The increased cost of the work over the original estimate was due to wrong information supplied by the engineer employed by the farmers in the district.

Timber, fishing, mining, industry, payroll, investments, bank clearings, shipping and water power all showed marked increases in the 1917 to 1926 period as compared with the 1907-1916 period.

Mr. Manson spoke of the highway work that was being carried out and what this meant to the tourist traffic. He also dealt with the province's financial position and went into detail with regard to productive debt, nonproductive debt and funded debt.

The speaker was accorded a splendid ovation at the close of his address. He followed his address, due to continued applause, with an appeal for support of the Liberal party. He paid tribute to the leadership of Premier MacLean, stating that he was a man who talked in terms of service to the public.

Among Casualties In Nicaraguan Fighting



GENERAL SANDINO
Rebel leader, who has been reported killed in battle with United States marine forces in Nicaragua.

City & District

Present Bouquet—Mrs. T. Sothern, soloist of James Bay United Church choir, was presented by the other members of the choir on Wednesday evening with a bouquet of pink chrysanthemums in honor of her birthday. The choir, which is rehearsing music for a concert which is to be given in the near future, will meet next Friday instead of next Thursday.

Arrive for Session—Two of the members of the Legislature from the Interior have already arrived in the city for the session that opens on Tuesday. Mr. J. W. Jones, member for South Okanagan, has taken up his residence at the Glenshiel Hotel. He is accompanied by Mrs. Jones. Colonel Fred Lister, representing Creston, arrived yesterday and is staying at the Empress Hotel.

Elect Officers—At a short meeting of the Sir John A. Macdonald Club last evening, officers were elected for the year. This was the only business transacted, other matters remaining to be disposed of at a later gathering of the club. The officers named were: President, Mr. R. H. Wootton; first vice-president, Mr. Leonard Tait; second vice-president, Mr. J. P. Parnell; secretary-treasurer, Mr. J. E. Huxtable.

Entertain Mission Band—The Mission Band of James Bay United Church was entertained by the superintendent, Mrs. W. J. Smillie, at her home, San Juan Avenue, on Thursday evening. At the brief business meeting which preceded the games and music which filled up the remainder of the evening, Miss Helen Keyworth was elected delegate to attend the sessions of the Presbyterial to be held next week at the Metropolitan Church, her duties to consist of reading the report of the James Bay Mission Band.

CANADA LIFE IS PROSPEROUS

SURPLUS OF $5,127,823 EARNED BY INSTITUTION DURING PAST YEAR

Insurance Now in Force Amounts to $769,982,182—Large Gain Over 1926

That old company, the Canada Life, has been a barometer of Canadian business for over eighty years, and its recent annual meeting was no exception to the rule.

During 1927 the Canada Life Assurance Company earned a surplus of $5,127,823, for the first time in its history going beyond the five million mark. This is probably the most interesting item to policyholders, because dividends depend upon surplus earned. The new policies issued amounted to $157,170,357, which is much more than twice the amount reported in 1922, only five years ago, and nearly $10,000,000 greater than in 1926.

Nearly $800,000,000 insurance in force at the close of last year suggests that the Canada Life will soon be numbered among the few "billionaire" companies on the North American Continent. The actual figures are $769,982,182, a gain of $96,591,813 for the year.

The net income from all sources for the year 1927 amounted to $34,378,386.83, a gain over 1926 of $2,346,971.50.

The assets gained $13,333,174.49, a larger amount than in any previous year, and they now stand at $140,580,677.62.

For the protection of policyholders the company holds contingent reserves of approximately $1,300,000, and the total surplus, including $4,660,000 payable to policyholders during 1928, amounted to $7,971,474.63 at the end of the year.

No changes occurred in the board of directors during the year, and the president, in his address, which has been printed in full in another column, gave a summary of the affairs of the company, which indicates progress in every direction, and the unquestioned solidity which we expect to find in the statement of assets of a leading life insurance company.

APARTMENTS FOR $25 A WEEK MAN IN N.Y. EMPTY OF TENANTS

NEW YORK, N.Y., Jan. 20.—Apartments at rentals scaled to meet the income of family heads earning $25 a week are going begging in New York. Administrators of the $750,000 Lavanberg Housing Fund have concluded that nobody in the city earns less than that nowadays.

A new apartment building in Goerck Street, financed by a fund established by the late Fred L. Lavanberg has attracted but few tenants under the donor's provision that none who earn more than $25 weekly be accomodated.

The rental plan has been revised, the administrators announced, and rates will be boosted to a maximum of $10.50 per room per month, with the prospect that the Goerck Street building will be followed by construction of another in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Knocker beamed patronizingly on Mandy, the new cook.

"I'm going to get you another chair for the kitchen, Mandy," she said.

"But, mam, I'se goin' to need no moh chair," said Mandy.

"But, you have company some evenings, don't you?"

"Yessum, yessum," sputtered Mandy, "but all ob 'em is gentlemuns."

Under the Clock

City Hall Activities in Brief

LOAN REPAYMENTS

A total of $50,000 of the Better Housing Loan of $180,000 made to the City by the Province in connection with the soldiers' settlement scheme has been paid back by Victoria. Yesterday City Treasurer Edwin C. Smith paid $8,000 off the loan. This is the largest single payment made by the city since the loan was made by the province. Fifty-seven returned soldiers took advantage of the scheme, and from this number only one property has reverted to the city.

COWS PREVENT SALE

Mr. J. E. Wilson, owner of a house on Howe Street, is asking the City Council to terminate the keeping of eight cows on a lot in close proximity to his home and in one of the finest residential districts of the city. Mr. Wilson claims that he cannot sell his house because of the nuisance caused by the keeping of these cows in close proximity to homes. His property he values at $5,000, but is willing to sell for $4,000 or offers. A prospective buyer had turned down the proposition because of the stables being so close to the house.

BUILDING PERMITS

With the taking out of four more permits yesterday, building figures for the month reached a total of $17,000 as compared with $9,500 for the corresponding period of last year. All told, eight new homes have been started so far this month as against two for the same period of 1927.

VISITING VIOLINIST MUSICAL EXQUISITE

Georges Enesco Given Tumultuous Reception at Royal Victoria Theatre Last Night

A musical exquisite in every sense of the word is Georges Enesco, the violinist who appeared before a big audience at the Royal Victoria Theatre last evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club. Every great musician, fortunately, has a distinctive quality in his musicianship—and with Mr. Enesco it is this all pervading quality of the musical aristocrat, fastidious, polished, refined, in the emotional, the intellectual, and the technical sense, that appeals so strongly to the listener. Such consummate artistry in the triple sense is rarely found.

The programme opened with the Vericini Sonata in E Minor, and moved on through the Ernest Bloch "Baal Schem," the Faure Berceuse given as an encore to this; a third group, containing Leclair's Sarabande et Tambourin in D, Kreisler's "Caprice Viennois," Sarasate's "Habanera in A Minor," and two encores, the Pugnani-Kreisler "Cappo di Minuetto," and Chanson Louis XIII, and Cavatina by Couperin (arranged by Kreisler); and finally closed with the magnificent Beethoven Kreutzer Sonata, and the encores which followed, the first the Aria on the G string by Bach, the second a Kreisler arrangement of a Tartini "Variation."

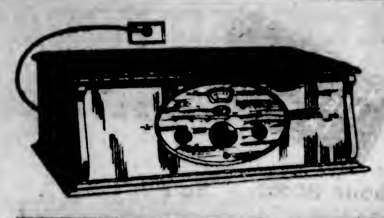
Pure and distinctive beauty marked each number. Tone of marvelous variety, distinguished by solidity even when most silky and delicate, pulsed under his hand; grace, whether in the trivial or the profound; clarity, precision, nicety of phrasing, brilliancy, vitality, rhythm, fluency gave a unique meaning to the smallest detail of the composition as well as magnifying the significance of the work as a whole.

The legato of the ritornelle of the first number was distinguished by precision; the allegro by its brilliance; the menuetto by its clarity, delicacy and commanding expression; the giga by its brilliant virtuosity.

The Bloch number brought forward another type of composition with its attendant individual beauty of interpretation, the three episodes ranging through many emotional moods. The "Improvization" was thrillingly impassioned, with brilliant execution in the double stopping; the "Rejoicing" was no thin, superficial joy, but the rejoicing of a Titan. The muted encore was mellow and full of grace.

Marvelous speed, amazing left-hand technique, was heard and seen in the Leclair "Sarabande," the dizzy tempo following an opening movement of smooth profound tone. The accompanist, Mr. Sanford Schlussel, played with genius in this. Featherlight bowing, with a beautiful continuity of tone, exquisite phrasing, and a certain "preciosity," distinguished the "Caprice Viennois," played on the mute, and repeated as an encore. Warm, colorful, energetic, definite in intention, with lovely harmonics, was the playing of the "Habanera in A Minor." The muted Couperin-Kreisler number, given as an encore, was enchanting.

The great Kreutzer Sonata was played magnificently, with classical grandeur, dignity and profound emotional expression. The beautiful balance of the player's bow gave much of the distinctive beauty which belonged to the slow movement of this, fluency, elasticity, combining with strength and finesse. The great difficulties of the third movement, moving at teriffic tempo at times, were made to seem easy. The "Air on the G String" (Bach) was notable, among other things, for the absolutely continuous, unbroken tone. The pianist, Mr. Schlussel, proved himself a real artist throughout, in the Kreutzer Sonata again winning special distinction. The audience showed its delight in the moveless attentiveness which it gave during the playing of the numbers, and by the spontaneous and excited applause which it gave at the close of each.



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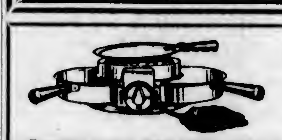

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BERRY GROWERS FOR ARBITRATION

Better Method of Settling Disagreements With Canners Is Approved

KELOWNA, Jan. 20.—At the concluding session of the British Columbia Fruit Growers' Association convention, Y. Yamaga, representing the Maple Ridge Co-operative Exchange, introduced a resolution calling for means of arbitration between berry growers and canners in any disagreement which might arise in regard to grades or other matters. The resolution was carried.

O. Dodds, of Sorrento, described the progress of bulb production in Canada and urged that the Dominion Government extend its inspection service to the bulb fields of this province.

W. H. Lyne, chief inspector of horticultural imports, stated that vast quantities of bulbs were still being imported into the province. These were being inspected. More than 4,600,000 had been brought into British Columbia in 1927, of which 23,000 were found to be diseased, and were condemned.

It is stated unofficially that the attitude of Vancouver Island delegates toward extension of the Marketing Act had much to do with the defeat of the resolution brought forward to that effect. Both delegates from the Southern section of the Island, while declaring their sympathy with the act, said their district was not yet prepared to come within control, but in place thereof would favor close co-operation with Mainland growers.

British Rubber Monopoly Costs States Millions

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The American consumer of tires has lost millions of dollars annually as a result of the British rubber monopoly, Secretary Hoover told the House judiciary committee, in endorsing a bill to permit the formation of United States trade associations to make collective purchases of raw materials controlled by foreign nations.

The reduction in rubber production by the British keeps the world dangerously near a buying panic, the commerce secretary declared, and at times has lifted the price of the product beyond reason.

Chairman Dyer indicated that the committee would report the measure favorably, "as the evidence appeared convincing and further statements were unnecessary."

"Will you try some of my angel cake?" asked the young wife of her husband.

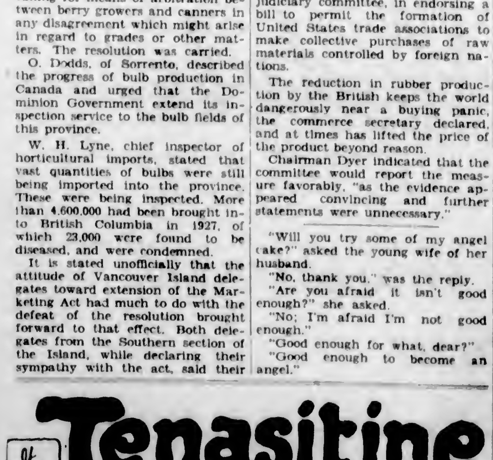
"No, thank you," was the reply.

"Are you afraid it isn't good enough?" she asked.

"No; I'm afraid I'm not good enough."

"Good enough for what, dear?"

"Good enough to become an angel."



BREAKING VOLSTEAD ACT IS GROUND FOR BREAKING LEASE

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 20.—Several landlords have conferred with their attorneys since the ruling of the courts that violation of the Volstead Act by a tenant is a legal ground for the landlord to break the lease. There are many tenants now holding leases, said to total millions of dollars, the breaking of which would be a decided advantage to the owners of the buildings.

It was pointed out that a conviction for a prohibition violation at the Chicago Athletic Association clubhouse might cost members $176,000 a year for sixty-two years, or a total of $10,912,000. The ninety-nine-year lease to the club was practically a gift from Marshall Field, Sr. The rental is only $9,000 annually and the lease has sixty-three years to run. The property could be rented today for $185,000, a real estate broker estimated.

That tenants holding valuable leases are not unaware of the situation is evidenced by the note of sincerity in their declarations that there shall be no violations of the Volstead law in their places.

One restaurant owner, holder of a valuable lease, said: "Our rental is comparatively low and the lease has ninety years to run. Naturally the landlord would like to put us out. He is watching his chance and is ready to call on the dry agents for help. All drinking is taboo here."

CRUSHED TO DEATH

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—Three men were crushed to death today in the Canadian Vickers, Limited, boiler shop, when a steel beam on a traveling crane struck one of the three large circular plates and sent it against the others, jamming them together. The men, Robert Thornton, thirty-five; Arthur Taylor, thirty-nine, and Robert Shields, thirty-two, were engaged in painting the plates.

First Colored Lady—"Yo' husband's in de hospital? Ah thought he was jus' only off on a jag."

Second Similar (with pride)—"He was, but Ah interrupted him."

PARKING PLACE FOR GUM IS FEATURE OF LITTLE THEATRE

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 20.—A group of Chicago society women interested in amateur dramatics have announced plans for the erection of a $100,000 Jack and Jill theatre, with a seating capacity of 500. It will be Chicago's smallest playhouse.

Each seat will be equipped with chewing gum slot machines, ash trays and receptacles for discarded gum. It is planned to make the institution self-supporting through the sale of tickets probably for as little as fifty cents.

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The Esquimalt Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will hold a card party and dance at Rex Theatre, Esquimalt, Wednesday, Jan. 25. Dancing from 9 to 1. Good orchestra. Refreshments. Prizes. 50c admission.

British Empire Lectures by Fred T. Foort, Chamber of Commerce, Saturday, 21st, 8 p.m., "Britain's Gates." Sunday, 3 p.m., "Balaam's Vision." All welcome.

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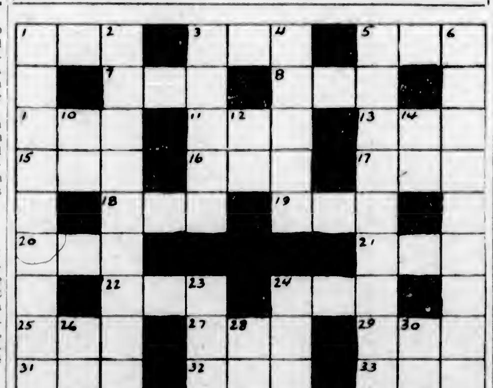

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1. Dandy.
3. Small island.
5. Staff.
8. Portugese coin.
9. Japanese shrub.
11. West Indian witchcraft.
13. Salt.
15. Sailing vessel.
16. Strike.
17. Kind of monkey.
18. Falsehood.
19. High priest of Israel.
20. Southern cuckoo.
21. Turf.
22. Inlet.
24. Dance step.
25. Man's name.
27. Tributary of the Amazon.
29. Artificial language.
31. Grain.
32. Piece of wood.
33. Small dog.
34. Before.
35. Snake.
36. Distress signal.
37. Heavenly body.
38. Belonging to it.

DOWN

1. Structures upon which buildings are erected.
2. Reckless spendthrifts.
3. Worship.
4. A food.
5. A great river.
6. Kind of puzzle (pl.).
10. Of.
12. Collegiate degree (ab.).
14. River of Europe.
23. Thin pieces of baked clay.
24. Heathen.
26. Ammon.
28. Company (ab.).
30. Act.

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ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Nationalists Put Tax on Oil Imports

SHANGHAI, Jan. 20.—The Nanking Nationalist Government today announced imposition of a tax of one dollar (Mexican) for every ten gallons of kerosene and gasoline imported into Nanking territory. The action, which affects the oil industry in China, including several American companies, follows the precedent established in Canton in 1926 of assessing extra treaty taxation on foreign goods imported into China.

The tax falls heaviest on established companies in the China oil trade, namely, the Asiatic Petroleum Company of Great Britain, the Standard Oil Company of New York and the Texas Company of Delaware.

Radio Is Turned to Real Industrial Use

MARION, Ohio, Jan. 20.—Marion's radio device for regulating city water pressure, believed the only system of its kind in existence, has proved successful after more than a year's experimental operation, according to officials of the Marion Water Company.

The device connects the uptown office of the company with its plant three miles away and through code signals transmitted from the pressure gauge at the uptown office the water pressure is maintained at the proper standard.

The transmitting device at the office operates automatically every half an hour, running for a two-minute period. An employee at the plant tunes in on the receiving set and ascertains the exact water pressure. The equipment is so designed that wave lengths correspond with the amount of pressure and the code signal sounds when the pointer on the dial reaches the proper figure.

The system was perfected through experiments conducted by George Whysall, general manager, and his son, Charles C. Whysall, company chemist.

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SOCIETY ADDRESSED BY ARMENIAN WOMAN

Describes Condition of Her People in Near East—Grateful for Charitable Help

Recently arrived from the India mission field, Mr. and Mrs. Port gave unusually interesting addresses at the regular meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of James Bay United Church on Thursday evening. Mrs. Port, who is an Armenian woman, born in Syria, told many interesting things about the condition of Armenians in the Near East, and acknowledged with gratitude the splendid help which her people had had from the people of England and America during the period of the war and since. She herself was educated in one of the Canadian missionary schools in Syria. Mr. Port, who has been in the mission field in India for the past twenty-eight years, also addressed the meeting, telling many interesting things about the work.

The meeting took place at the home of Mrs. Helen Ryan, 651 Battery Street, when encouraging reports were read by the secretary, Mrs. Carnochan, on the year's work. The society had gone "over the top" on its allocation for the year. The programme was chiefly contributed by Mrs. Chesworth and Mrs. Keyworth, who sang a duet. Mrs. Monkman gave a brief talk on Christian stewardship. The proceedings came to a pleasant close with the serving of refreshments by the hostess, Mrs. Ryan. Among the evening's guests were Rev. C. M. Tate and Mrs. Tate.

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PLANS NOVEL CRAFT TO BEAT NIAGARA

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Jan. 20.—Al Fausett, of Portland, Oregon, stated here yesterday that he will try to navigate the Horseshoe Falls in a craft composed of canvas filled with automobile tubes fully inflated. He will have his head and shoulders above water until the Falls are reached, when he will recline and cover himself. Authorities on both sides of the border announced today that they will refuse to grant permission to Fausett to carry out his stunt.

ANNUAL SESSION OF BOARD ENDS

Columbia Woman's Auxiliary Hears of Missionary Work in Japan From Miss Alice Cox

WORK AT ALERT BAY STIRS MEMBERS

Prayers were led by Mrs. Luxton, with special intercession for the work of the younger women, who largely attended Thursday evening's session of the Diocesan Board.

Mrs. Nation brought in an interesting report of the Girls' Friendly Society, which always is helpful in providing linen and useful articles for the hospital at Alert Bay.

The reports of the Business Women's Branch of Christ Church Cathedral, North Saanich evening branch, St. John's and St. Mary's were read by their respective secretaries, all showing that the work was being done in an earnest spirit of Christian service and not without some personal sacrifice, the members being mostly young business women.

WORK IN JAPAN

The speaker of the evening was Miss Alice Cox, whose vital personality at once engaged the attention and interest of the meeting. It is hard to credit that she has a record of twenty-seven years in missionary work in Japan, but her address proved that she can speak with knowledge and authority and that she is a real power in the district under her care. She was the first foreign woman to get a licence to teach from a Japanese bishop, and the strange looking document was exhibited to the meeting as a treasured possession of the owner. In glowing words she described the consecration of the first native bishop of Osaka, which was the fulfilment of a long-cherished hope, and has been the means of immensely strengthening the work in the diocese. The bishop's wife is the capable and beloved president of the Diocesan W.A., and Miss Cox paid a tribute of high praise to both the bishop and his wife, whose sincere and Godly life is an example of the highest order, and make them beloved by all. After many difficulties, the work is progressing, but the great need is for more workers, Miss Cox closing with the words: "I know of no country more fascinating to work in than Japan, where the people are so ready to hear, and to live, the Gospel.

Mrs. Belson expressed the pleasure with which the meeting had followed Miss Cox's inspiring words, which tribute was heartily endorsed by all.

WORK AT ALERT BAY

The need for consecrated service was also the note of appeal from Mr. Anfield, who gave a short address, adding a great deal of very interesting information to his talk earlier in the day. Special abilities, devotion and youth are needed for the social service work now to be carried out at Alert Bay, youth to appeal to youth, for the rising generation of Indians need to be trained in mothercraft, home economics and manual training, to fit them to live in their homes after they leave the industrial schools. This year a larger building and better equipment are to be provided by the Indian Department and more workers will be needed, and are needed now, as the girls need a sports mistress, Mr. Anfield said. The meeting was brought to a close with the benediction, pronounced by Rev. H. T. Archbold.

FINAL SESSIONS

Business resumed yesterday morning with prayers, led by Mrs. Belson, and a Scripture reading by Mrs. C. Nivin.

A telegram of greeting from Mrs. Martin was received and read by the president. Regret was expressed at the news that Mrs. Vincent was ill in hospital, and a message of sympathy was to be sent to her. A very helpful discussion on W.A. work and methods was led by Mrs. Belson, who also answered the inquiries in the question box, as a result, at next year's annual meeting, branch reports will be eliminated, by general consent of the meeting. Rev. T. E. Rowe gave a devotional address and the noon hour prayers, the meeting then adjourned for lunch at the Y.W.C.A.

At 2 p.m. the intercessions were led by Deaconess Simcox, and the reports of out-of-town branches were given, the first being by Mrs. Pack, who gave an outline of the work of her branch at Royston in a unique manner, causing much merriment and at the same time conveying some very valuable suggestions for other branches.

ALERT BAY REPORT

The report from Alert Bay W.A. was given by Miss Dibben, and included the Indian branch, of which she is a member, working with Mrs. Cooke who, the meeting heard with regret, is suffering from a nervous breakdown, following the loss of her well-loved daughter. Mrs. Cooke is a well-known W.A. worker and has done a wonderful work among her Indian sisters. The various appeals were considered, and that from the Diocesan Board of Religious Education for the Sunday school by post was met, also for equipment for Mr. Anfield's work, and for overseas bales, and a donation towards the purchase of a car for Rev. Cassilis Kennedy in his Oriental work.

The pledge remains at the same amount as last year, the treasurer, Mrs. Hartley, asked for the money in hand to be sent in by the end of May, to save the Dominion treasurer from carrying a heavy overdraft.

EXPRESSIONS OF THANKS

Votes of thanks were moved by Mrs. Nivin to the bishop and clergy, the scrutineers, Mrs. Corby and Miss Cawley, to Mrs. Carver and Mrs. Dwyer for registration each day, to the pianist, Mrs. Bagshawe; to the hostesses of delegates, including the bishop and Mrs. Schofield for the enjoyable "At Home" on Thursday; to the retiring officers, to Mr. Exham for auditing accounts, and to the press for space given during the past year, monthly and for the diocesan annual meeting. The Bishop gave the benediction.

Mrs. James Dickson Re-elected President

THE results of the election of officers of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Columbia Diocesan Board are as follows: Hon. president, Mrs. Schofield; hon. vice-president, Mrs. Luxton; president, Mrs. James Dickson; first vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Belson; second vice-president, Mrs. Quainton; third vice-president, Mrs. Wilson; recording secretary, Mrs. Colin Cummins; treasurer, Mrs. Hartley; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Heatherbell; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Patt; organizing secretary, Mrs. Norrish; thank-offering secretary, Mrs. Brooks; extra-cent-a-day secretary, Mrs. Bengough; literature secretary, Mrs. Ernest H. Bird; church embroidery secretary, Mrs. F. C. Chapman; Living Message editor, Mrs. Ford; Columbia Coast Mission secretary, Mrs. Boyd; girls' secretary, Mrs. Laycock; junior secretary, Mrs. Chrow; Little Helpers' secretary, Miss Nicolls; prayer partner secretary, Miss Turner; social service secretary, Miss Checkley.

"Blind Justice"

By INA LEON CASSILIS

It is morning service at the Church of St. Michael the Archangel. Denis Beaumont, the vicar, publishes the banns of marriage between his friend Anthony Gascoigne and Doreen Holme. A handsome, distinguished looking woman rises and cried, "I forbid the banns." At an interview in the vestry, the woman, Vera Carslake, claims that she was married to Anthony Gascoigne by special licence six months previously. She gives the place and date and challenges Anthony to disprove it. Anthony claims it is an attempt at blackmail, and Vera Carslake leaves, saying she will appeal to the law to establish her claim. Anthony tells the vicar that a point of honor compels him to decline to say where he was on the day of the alleged marriage. This does not affect the vicar's faith in his friend's integrity.

Anthony's fiancee, Doreen Holme, is a beautiful girl, but worldly. She lives with her aunt, Mrs. Germain, who places some credence in Vera Carslake's story.

CHAPTER IV.

In a tense hush of expectancy, Audley Langton rose to make his speech for the defence. The whole question, he said, turned upon identity; and the plaintiff was in the position of having positive evidence, whereas the defendant could only deny in toto, while admitting certain facts which played into the hands of the two people who had conspired together to obtain money. Unquestionably someone sufficiently like Mr. Gascoigne to pass muster for him, under such conditions as existed in this case, with careful "make-up," someone who was a skilled forger, unquestionably that someone had personated the defendant; had actually gone through a marriage ceremony, and forged the defendant's signature. It was a deep and well laid plot, carried out with extraordinary daring. Mr Gascoigne's movements must have been watched, and the matters arranged accordingly. As for the plaintiff's statements about meetings in Paris, nothing was easier to say than you met a man in this place or that, when he was already in the same city. The plaintiff fixed no date for that encounter in the Place du Carrousel. How, then, could the defendant, after six months, answer a statement so carefully fenced, except by denying that he ever saw the plaintiff at all? He was probably dozens of times in the Place du Carrousel.

The plaintiff did, as had been ascertained, live—for a time—at the Pension Sismondi, Rue de —, under the name of Carslake, and nothing was alleged against her, but as she stated that her meetings with Mr. Gascoigne were, after the first, clandestine, she again made contradiction difficult. The defendant was well known in Paris and his ordinary movements would be known to many people. On its ethical side the plaintiff's story was, counsel maintained, quite preposterous. Could anything be more extraordinary than the defendant's conduct—according to the plaintiff's contention? She was a woman beneath him in class, a woman, though handsome, of no such attractions as warranted the headlong infatuation of even a youth; and the defendant was past thirty, a man of ancient family, and large possessions, a very proud and fastidious man, yet he is supposed to have fallen at once into the toils of a woman not even in her first youth, not cultured, manifestly an inferior, to have proposed marriage to her, and—for some inexplicable reason, to have left her at the very door of the church. Then, knowing her to be alive and in England, he wooed a lady of his own rank, their engagement was publicly announced, the marriage preceded by banns. Would any sane man act so madly? Would any sane man court discovery and disgrace? Would any guilty man have so unflinchingly faced the charge against him; repudiated the claim upon him?

Mr. Langton's speech made a deep impression. Would it win the battle of truth, common sense, probability, against documentary evidence and the evidence of eye-witnesses?

Anthony Gascoigne entered the witness-box, and every eye was fixed upon him, every ear trained to catch his words; but there was no need to strain attention; his clear-cut, though soft tones, and the enunciation made all that he said as audible to those distant from him as to those near him. His striking face and person, the distinction of his manners and bearing were all assets in his favor; and emphasized his counsel's contention that such a woman as the plaintiff was most unlikely to have attracted such a man as Anthony Gascoigne. What a showy pinchbeck she looked beside him! It was not easy to imagine that this man was brazening out a lie. His eyes—dark, brilliant, steadfast, never flinched or wavered. His whole face, his manner, were imbued with truth; he admitted what told against him; he stopped to no evasion, made no attempt even to suggest untruth—where the facts were perhaps fatally in the plaintiff's favor. He denied absolutely and emphatically that he had ever seen the plaintiff until he saw her in the vestry at St. Michael's Church. He was in Paris at the time alleged, of course he had been more than once in the Place du Carrousel; he could not recall any particular times. He never saw Miss Carslake there or anywhere else. He did not marry her in Stanmore Church; he had never been in Stanmore Church in his life; he had seen the signatures in the register alleged to be his, the likeness to his handwriting was startling, but he had not written it. He was at Lidstone, a small estate of his own, on that day. It was ten miles from Stanmore. He was seldom—very seldom there; he had never seen the rector of Stanmore, or the sexton, Hill. He left Lidstone on the night of the twenty-third of May, and returned to London.

Then up rose Mr. Barnes.

"You state, Mr. Gascoigne, that you very rarely go to Lidstone?"

"Yes."

"Will you inform the court, then, what took you to Lidstone on the twenty-third of May?"

"It was a matter of business," said Gascoigne, quietly.

"What servants were there at the Grange?"

"A housekeeper and a man. There might have been a girl with the housekeeper—I am not sure."

"You can doubtless then, so account for your time at Lidstone Grange as to prove an alibi?"

"No," said Gascoigne. "I cannot."

"You say," said Mr. Barnes, "that at the time you were alleged to be at Stanmore Church you were at Lidstone. You can surely, then, account for the hours between half-past ten and noon."

Gascoigne's dark eyes met the speaker's steadily. "I decline," he said, "to account for that part or for any part of my time on the twenty-third of May."

Men and women looked at each other. There was a breathless pause.

(To be continued)

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Canada's Trade Shows $27,404,287 Increase

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—Official figures issued last night show that Canada's trade for the nine months of the fiscal years ending December 31, totaled $1,789,483,417, an increase of $27,404,287 over the corresponding nine months of the previous year. The imports for the nine months' period totaled $822,988,467, while the exports amounted to $950,103,367, and foreign merchandise exported was valued at $16,391,587

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

Dr. McCoy's menus suggested for the week beginning Sunday, January 22:

Sunday: Breakfast—French omelette, 2 or 3 strips of bacon, waffle, stewed raisins. Lunch—*Peanut butter soup, combination salad (beets, tomatoes, celery, raw cabbage). Dinner—Baked chicken or rabbit, cooked lettuce, squash, salad of cold cooked asparagus (canned), ice cream.

Monday: Breakfast—Cottage cheese, Melba toast, sliced pineapple. Lunch—Baking powder biscuits, string beans, head lettuce. Dinner—Broiled steak, spinach, baked ground beets, McCoy salad, cup custard (recipe given January 7).

Tuesday: Breakfast—Eggs poached in milk, Melba toast, stewed figs. Lunch—Mashed pumpkin, cooked turnip tops, salad of shredded raw cabbage. Dinner—Roast mutton, cooked turnips, stewed tomatoes, salad of celery and lettuce, Jello or Jell-Well.

Wednesday: Breakfast—Oatmeal with butter or milk, Melba toast. Lunch—Buttered vegetables (diced carrots and beets), sliced cucumbers. Dinner—Vegetable soup, boiled fresh beef tongue, cooked celery, spinach, salad of sliced tomatoes, pear sauce.

Thursday: Breakfast — Coddled eggs, retoasted shredded wheat biscuit, stewed prunes. Lunch—Potato soup, cooked beet tops, raw celery. Dinner—Roast pork, string beans, baked ground beets, salad of raw spinach leaves, baked apple.

Friday: Breakfast — Retoasted breakfast food with milk or cream, stewed apricots. Lunch — Baked squash, cooked lettuce, asparagus. Dinner—Tomato bouillon, baked sea bass, cooked spinach, oyster plant, salad of sliced tomatoes, Jello or Jell-Well, no cream.

Saturday: Breakfast—Baked eggs, crisp bacon, Melba toast, stewed peaches. Lunch — Steamed rice, string beans, salad of grated raw carrots. Dinner—Vegetable soup, Salisbury steak, cooked okra, combination salad of tomatoes, celery and string beans, pineapple whip.

*Peanut Butter Soup—Dice three small carrots and cook in sufficient water with one cupful of chopped celery and a tablespoonful of chopped parsley. When vegetables are tender, and water has cooked down to a small amount, add six cups of hot milk and one-half cup of peanut butter. Blend all ingredients thoroughly and serve immediately.

To get best results this soup must not be allowed to stand for any length of time before serving, so do not add the milk and peanut butter until the last minute, and do not allow the milk to boil.

I receive hundreds of letters daily from readers asking me to give them the basic few rules of proper food combinations. I have therefore prepared a special brief article on this subject. You can obtain this by writing to me. Ask for my article called "Food Combinations."

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy are advised that his address is Builders Exchange Building, Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

ERROR REFLECTS ON TRADE LICENCEE

Council Sought Advice on Powers of Refusing Renewals Without Knowledge of Commission

In connection with the report in The Colonist yesterday with regard to the trades licence for Mr. Thomas Cockrill, who operates a private detective agency in the city, it appears that the city police commission was not in possession of the details of matters which had taken place recently in various city departments.

The City Council had taken counsel's advice whether power existed to withhold trades licences to applicants, and it is understood that advice was in the negative, provided no breach of the Trades Licence By-Law arose during the period of holding the licence. Thereupon a letter was sent to the licence inspector instructing him to issue any renewal licence required by Mr. Cockrill, if applied for. Such licence was issued January 14.

Mr. Cockrill has drawn the attention of the authorities to the matter in view of the prejudice which would arise from doubt being raised as to his right to carry on the business, which he is legally authorized to do. There were no negotiations leading to this renewal.

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Wm. Dupont Dead

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"I talked him out of it - - -"

"IF I had only known this would happen! So suddenly! So unexpectedly! And when everything looked so promising!

"And to think that time after time he wanted to increase his life insurance and *I talked him out of it.* How hard I worked against myself and against my own interests. I wanted a bigger house. I wanted luxuries! I wanted everything except the protection he was urging me to accept.

"I got my own way, of course. The Life Insurance was not taken. I robbed the children of their education, of my care, perhaps of their future success in life. I robbed myself of the children's companionship. For now I must leave them to earn the money needed to keep our little family together - - *the money that Life Insurance would have given me if he had had his way* - -

"- - and I talked him out of it."

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Society and Women's Affairs

Personals, Parties Visitors

Tea Party
Miss Yoder Pemberton was hostess at a delightful tea party yesterday afternoon at her home on Cadboro Heights. The invited guests included Mrs. Hollister (California) and Misses B. M. Pemberton, Alice Cotton, Mary Langley, Noreen Smyly, Betty and Helen Streatfeild, Beryl Nelson, Kathleen R. Ross, Betty Kirk, Jane and Freda Warter, Joy and Betty Phillips, Doris and Jean Gibson, Kay Clay, Phyllis Barton, Doreen Grant, Barbara Bullock-Webster, Helen and Phyllis Fowler, Catherine Fraser, Violet Punnett, Janet Lang, Velma Bucklin, Evelyn Scott, Polly and Fifi Luxton, Sheila Gillespie, Helen Laundy, Nora Lewis, Nora Tolson, Anne Sherwood, Ena Short, Amy Alexander, Moninna McKenna, Iris Wilcox and Lucy Bryden.

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Delightful Tea Party
In honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Geoffrey Morkill, of Peru, Mrs. W. L. Morkill entertained at a smart tea yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel. The ballroom was charmingly decorated with palms, round which were massed exquisite cinerarias, and on the long tea table were bowls of orchid-shaded chrysanthemums. On smaller tables also were vases of chrysanthemums and fern.

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Marriage Announced
Mr. and Mrs. William C. Fletcher announce the marriage of their only daughter, Gwladys Mary, to Mr. Harold A. Welsh, son of Mr. Welsh and the late Mrs. Welsh, of Toronto. The ceremony was performed in Edmonton on December 24 in the presence of the bride's parents and near relatives of the groom. The young couple will make their home in St. Paul de Metis.

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Leaving for Kansas City
Colonel Lightbody leaves today for Kansas City, where he will attend a meeting of the Supreme Nine of the Concatenated Order of Hoo Hoo. He will return by way of Chicago, Minneapolis and Winnipeg.

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Return From Sound
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Oliver returned from Tacoma and Seattle yesterday afternoon. Mr. Oliver had attended the conference of the One Hundred Per Cent Club in Tacoma.

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Will Be "At Home"
Mrs. F. Sylvester, 1716 Fort Street, will be "At Home" on Sunday from 2:30 until 6, and will be pleased to see her friends, the occasion being her eightieth birthday.

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At Hatley Park
After a visit to Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Driscoll, York Place, Mrs. W. F. Brougham, of Vancouver, is now the guest of Mrs. James Dunsmuir at Hatley Park.

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E. S. LITTLE, ex-mayor and prominent businessman of London, Ont., just appointed to the Senate, is shown at the upper left. In the centre are his four children—Alan, twelve; Naomi, ten; David, five, and Derek, three. At the right is Mrs. Little, and below, their home, Belvoir Farm, Delaware, twelve miles from London. Senator Little is London's first representative in the Upper House in more than twenty years.

At Empress Hotel
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Thomas, of Edmonton, have arrived in the city and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

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Vancouver Visitors
Mrs. Henry Macaulay and her daughter have arrived from Vancouver, and are spending a few days at the Empress.

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Leave for Winnipeg
Mrs. W. L. Clay and Mr. Jack Clay left last night for Winnipeg, to be with Dr. Clay, who is in hospital there.

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From Calgary
Mr. and Mrs. Milligan have arrived from Calgary and will spend a month at the James Bay Hotel.

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From Vancouver
Mrs. Harold Robertson, of Vancouver, is spending a few days with Senator and Mrs. G. H. Barnard.

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Guest at Hotel
Mr. J. A. Motherwell, of Vancouver, Inspector of Fisheries for the province, is at the Empress Hotel.

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Home for Week-End
Miss Doris Roberts returned yesterday to her home in Duncan for the week-end.

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From Chemainus
Mrs. H. E. McDonald, of Chemainus, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Henderson, Wilmot Place.

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Leaving for New York
Miss Amy Angus is leaving for New York today and expects to be away for about a month.

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Returns to Asheroft
Mr. Clarence Pitts has returned to Asheroft, after spending a few days in the city.

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From Edmonton
Miss Kathleen Alloway, of Edmonton, is the guest of Mrs. Horace Forrest at the Empress Hotel.

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Returns From Edmonton
Mrs. Horace Forrest has returned from a month's visit in Edmonton.

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Regina Visitor
Mr. H. W. Schiller, of Regina, is a guest at the Empress.

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At James Bay Hotel
Mr. J. Forbes, of Calgary, is a guest at the James Bay Hotel.

James Island Personals

Miss Elsie Mowat, of Victoria, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Doran.

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Mrs. A. Inglis and her baby daughter have returned home.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

The two-piece theme continues to be popular for sports wear. Plaited skirts naturally follow, insuring ease and width, but blouses are of wide variety.

Contrasting materials are always effective when combined. This blouse of crepe de Chine has horizontal bands stitched in a novel design, and as they are of Angora jersey, the result is a successful compose effect.

A narrow leather belt is used and the Angora skirt has a cluster of plaits in front.

Somenos Social News

The many friends of Mr. Reginald L. Gibbs, Westholme, will be sorry to learn that he is a patient in the Jubilee Hospital, where he underwent an operation on his knee. He is recovering nicely, but expects to be convalescent there for two weeks.

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Mrs. A. Fear, of Armstrong, B.C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. S. Henderson, Westholme. They are both leaving shortly for Portland, Oregon, and California.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dennis of Singer Mill, left recently for Vancouver, where they will visit for two weeks.

Interassembly Dance Greatly Enjoyed

A large number of members and friends of the Native Sons of Canada and Canadian Daughters' League, enjoyed the programme and dance sponsored by their interassembly committee on Thursday. Much appreciation was expressed for Mr. Campbell's motion pictures of Canadian scenes, kindly loaned by the Canadian National Railways, also for the good musical programme with Miss Laura White, soloist, and Master Neil Brown-Cave, violinist. Miss Nora Edwards was the accompanist of the evening. Mrs. Ritchie, the president of the Canadian Daughters' League, was in the chair.

Bridge at Royston

ROYSTON BEACH, Jan. 20.—A bridge tea was held at the home of Mrs. J. Idiens on Wednesday, the hostess being Mrs. Harry Idiens, the occasion being taken to wish farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Brock. Mr. Brock, manager of the Bank of Commerce, Courtenay, is leaving the bank after being associated there for the last nine years. First prize was won by Mrs. Holmes, second by Mrs. Ben Hughes, consolation by Mrs. S. Watson.

Deep Cove Party

The weekly Monday evening card party of the Deep Cove Social Club was held in its hall, with seven tables. The ladies' prize was won by Mrs. G. Henry Horth and the gentlemen's by Mr. A. Calvert. A new high score tournament will start on Monday next.

Liberal Women Are Entertained at Tea

Members of the Liberal Women's Forum were entertained at tea yesterday afternoon by Mrs. A. M. Manson, 2426 Windsor Road. About 150 guests attended. Mrs. Manson being assisted in receiving by Mrs. J. D. McLean, Mrs. W. H. Sutherland and Mrs. Stuart Henderson, president of the forum. Flowers were lavishly used in the decoration of tre reception roms. Mrs. Charles Spratt and Mrs. Pilgrim presided at the tea table, which was centred with a bowl of daffodils, pussy willows and narcissus. Pink chrysanthemums were used in the decoration of the drawing-room. Mrs. H. E. Young cut the ices, and assisting with the serving were Mrs. Harold Grant, Mrs. H. A. Harrison and Miss Mary Scott.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The following officers for the ensuing year have been elected by the Knights and Dames of the Thistle: P.K.O.G.C., H. Reid; K.O.G.C., J. McMillan; K.O.C., J. Carmichael; K.O.S., R. Noble; D.O.B., Mrs. Minnis; K.O.P., William Angus; K.O.T., J. McKenzie; K.O.A., G. Kelman; D.O.A., Mrs. Hay; K.O.L., R. Watt; D.O.E., Mrs. Noble; D.O.M., Miss N. McLean; K.O.Cer, H. Reston. Mr. H. Reston was the installing officer, assisted by Dame Kelman. Mr. H. Reid was presented with his past knight's badge and a leather wallet in recognition of his services during the past two years.

Distinguished Patrons for Fire-Fighters' Ball

The annual ball of the Victoria Fire Department, which is to be held at the Empress Hotel on Friday, February 10, is to be given under the distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, Hon. J. D. MacLean, Premier of the province, and Mrs. MacLean, His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Pendray, and the Board of Fire Wardens. A popular orchestra has been engaged for the occasion and a programme of all the latest dance music will be played.

The committee in charge is working hard to make this the most successful affair ever held by the fire fighters.

Dance at Colwood

The dance given last evening at the Colwood Golf and Country Club proved a most delightful affair, among those notieed being Capt. and Mrs. H. B. Mogg, Major D. B. Martyn, Dr. and Mrs. Richards, Capt. and Mrs. F. Fort, Mr. and Mrs. Pollard, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Pelican, Capt. and Mrs. R. H. Ley, Mr. and Mrs. Horsey, Mrs. D. B. McConnan, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hatet, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Boorman, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Swan, Dr. and Mrs. Bryant, Miss Morley, Colonel and Mrs. de Mussin, Colonel and Mrs. W. Winsby, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hepburn, Mrs. E. M. Cotter, Mr. and Mrs. Hoard, Miss J. Turner, Mrs. Wyllie, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Rotherham, Miss Sheila Gillespie, Miss Lambert, Miss Roma Hartley, Miss Rachael Madden, Miss Violet Mesher, Miss Clark, Miss Mollie Guernsey, Miss Doris Gibson, Dr. Mitchell, and Messrs. P. Greville-Jones, J. Pemberton, Robin Cran, R. B. Horton, Allen, Billings, G. Sayer, Pat Parr, Cunningham, Little, E. U. Reid, W. B. Leach, R. Turner, L. Neelands, Young, and others.

Prairie Club Dance

The annual social and dance of the Prairie Club will be held at the Sons of Canada Hall on Tuesday evening, January 24. The musical programme will commence at 8 o'clock, and there will be dancing from 10 o'clock to an early hour in the morning.

Kitty McKay

By Nina Wilcox Putnam

The girl-friend says it always raises a lump on her head when she hears 'em sing the Anvil Chorus

Vancouver Scientist To Speak on Tuesday

Professor D. Buchanan, of the University of British Columbia, will lecture to the Astronomical Society on Tuesday, at 8 p.m., in Victoria College. The subject of his lecture will be "Astronomical Discoveries." He will speak of the discoveries of Kepler, Newton, Herschel, Bradley, and others, who either through long and patient toil or by the merest accident discovered new planets or revealed the 'eternal laws" governing the motions of the heavenly bodies. The lecture will be illustrated.

Professor Buchanan's contributions to science have been largely in the field of celestial mechanics. He has made notable contributions to the "problem of three bodies," being among the leading four men working on this subject on the continent. He is a popular as well as a scientific lecturer.

Canadian Author Is Honored at Seattle

One of Canada's leading writers of verse, history and fiction, Dr. Charles G. D. Roberts, of Toronto, was recently honored at a dinner given in the New Washington Hotel, Seattle, by the League of Western Writers. Major L. Bullock-Webster, director of the B.C. Dramatic School, was the toastmaster.

Lectured in Tacoma

Mr. J. A. Pearce has just returned from Tacoma, where he addressed the Aloha Club on "The Starry Heavens; Facts and Fancies of the Stars." The myths and legends of the constellations were dealt with by the lecturer first, after which he told his audience something about the results of modern astrophysical research. Mr. Hope, of Brentwood College, is to lecture before the Aloha Club in April on "The English School System."

COLWOOD CARD PARTY

The weekly card party under the auspices of the hall committee, was held on Wednesday last. The highest score for whist was made by Mrs. R. Murray and Mr. W. Bickford, and the lowest score Miss Hawkeswood and Mr. B. Parker.

CONCERT TO BE GIVEN

A concert will be given in Shelbourne Street Hall on Wednesday, January 25, at 8 o'clock, by the Emmanuel Baptist Church choir.

BUILDING PROGRESS

Fire Insurance Agents' Association Will Hear Mr. John L. Noble

The Victoria District Fire Insurance Agents' Association will hold a dinner at the Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock.

Afterwards, Mr. John L. Noble, manager of the British Columbia Insurance Underwriters' Association, will deliver an address upon "Building Construction."

This address will be very interesting, not only to fire insurance agents, but also to architects and contractors who are invited to be present, not only for the address, but also for the dinner if they so desire.

Mr. Noble has had many years of experience as manager of the Underwriters' Association and is closely in touch with the Underwriters' Laboratories Inc., of Chicago, and the National Fire Insurance Association of Chicago.

Any visitor desirous of attending is asked to telephone to the secretary, Mr. F. F. Fatt.

Women's Clubs and Societies

Cumberland Review W.B.A.
The Cumberland Review of the W.B.A. held its first 1928 meeting on Thursday, and judging by the attendance and enthusiasm of the members, has started on another successful year. That the high standard set had been well maintained during the past year was shown by the fine report of the past president, Mrs. Susan Covert. In recognition of the valuable service rendered the Review, Mrs. Grace McNeil, president, presented Mrs. Covert with a past president's jewel, a handsome wicker chair and a pencil. The Past Presidents' Association presented beautiful bouquets to Mrs. Covert and Mrs. Hudson, to the latter in recognition of her services as musician. Several other officers received pretty gifts from their fellow officers and the guard team as a mark of appreciation for services rendered over a period of years. These were Mrs. Martha Coe, standard bearer; Mrs. Parkinson, captain of guards; Mrs. Alice Miller, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Hudson, financial secretary; Mrs. Annie Davis, recording secretary and press correspondent; Mrs. Ellen Potter, most regular attendant of the charter members. A short programme and social brought to a close a most successful meeting

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Nanaimo Hospital W.A.
At the annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Nanaimo Hospital, held yesterday afternoon in the Canadian Legion hall, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. George B. Brown; vice-presidents, Mrs. W. W. Lewis, Mrs. P. Weigle, Mrs. Mitchel and Mrs. Good; recording secretary, Mrs. Neen; secretary, Mrs. F. King; treasurer, Mrs. G. Hall. Mrs. Mitchel, convener of the "hope chest," reported the sum of $1,018 having been raised. The meeting decided to canvass the city in the interests of the hospital drawing, which will take place in the Dominion Theatre on February 1.

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St. John's W.A.
Mrs. H. S. Meadows, Mrs. P. Foreman and Miss James are attending the Columbia Diocesan Board annual meeting as delegates from the W.A. to St. John's, Colwood.

LAURIER CLUB HAS ELECTION

Mr. Stephen Jones Re-Elected President—Reeve J. N. Evans Gives Short Address

Mr. Stephen Jones was re-elected president of the Laurier Club at the annual meeting and banquet held in the Dominion Hotel last night. His re-election was at the unanimous demand of the entire membership.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, Rt. Hon. W. Lyon Mackenzie King; honorary vice-president, Hon. J. D. MacLean; honorary vice-president, Hon. J. H. King; president, Mr. Stephen Jones; first vice-president, Mr. W. M. Ivel; second vice-president, Mr. L. U. Conyers; secretary, Mr. Kenneth C. Drury; treasurer, Mr. S. A. Pomeroy; executive committee, Messrs. Charles J. V. Spratt, M. B. Jackson, K.C., Henry C. Hall, K.C., A. D. MacFarlane, H. H. Shandley, Joseph Patrick, Dr. Lewis Hall, C. H. O'Halloran, J. B. Clearibue, Cleeve White, F. Simpson, A. Kohout, J. Stewart, Thomas Walker, Charles R. Bishop, N. B. Pollock, W. H. English, Hugh Ferguson, N. Whittaker, J. A. Worthington, M. W. Graham, William T. Straith and W. P. Marchant.

Following the election of officers, Mr. Jones introduced to the gathering Reeve J. N. Evans, of Cowichan, who has been identified with municipal work for the past fifty years and who "blazed the trail of Liberalism often to his own business detriment."

Reeve Evans said that his district faced the same problems as Saanich, that was, the difficulty of the divisions of taxation between rural and urban areas. There was talk of secession, he stated. In this matter he advised the dissenting parties to hold together and seek relief from school tax burdens from the Legislature. This was the problem that faced the municipalities today, and he sincerely hoped the Legislature, at its session to be opened this month, would give some measure of relief with regard to the cost of education.

Mr. Jones, in his inaugural address, announced that the treasurer had a substantial balance on hand and that the membership of the organization had increased from sixty to one hundred and fifty during the past year. He paid tribute to the work done by Mr. Drury, who acted as secretary during the year, for his untiring efforts in advancing the welfare of the organization. He said that the Laurier Club had been formed to emulate the ideals and spirit of that noted statesman and "leader of the grand old Liberal party." In following the ideals of this statesman the organization could not be amiss.

Behind the Scenes

The stage and its romance has been in all ages a subject of enthralling interest. Few people can lift the veil of obscurity, and separate the false from the true, so ably as Mr. Seymour Hicks. The great new series from his pen, "Real Life Behind the Scenes," tells of the joys and sorrows of stage success, and is a wonderfully human document, written by one who has climbed the ladder of histrionic fame from the bottommost rung. Do not fail to commence this wonderful stage portrait in
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Auto From Victoria And Liquor Seized

ANACORTES, Wash., Jan. 20.—Dave Williams, who gave his address as Seattle, was arrested here yesterday by the chief of police as he was bringing his automobile off the ferry from Victoria, B.C. Eighteen cases of alleged Canadian whisky were found in the rear compartment of the roadster. Williams was released upon posting $300 bail.

The hand-painted scarf from Mrs. Watson offered at the Native Sons on Canada card party held on Wednesday was won by Mrs. Charles Geiger.

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Snow White Pillow Cases at 75c a Pair

Made from pure bleached cotton of fine texture. Remarkable value. Size 40, 42 and 44 inches. Sale Price, per pair ..... **75¢**

Comfortables at $2.50

Woven from soft, lofty yarns in novelty plaid effects in excellent color combinations. Ideal for couch throws, motor rugs and extra bed coverings. Size 58 x 78 inches Sale Price, each **$2.50**

Flannelette Blankets at $2.35 and $2.75 a Pair

In white or grey, with pink or blue borders. Three-quarter bed size. Sale Price, per pair **$2.35**
Double bed size. Sale Price, per pair **$2.75**

Snow White Grecian Bedspreads

Made for hard wear and finished soft.

Size 64 x 84 inches. Sale Price, each **$2.49**
Size 73 x 94 inches. Sale Price, each **$3.19**

Down Comforters, Regular $30.00 for $25.00

Handsome Satin Covered Down Comforters in many rich color combinations. Extra well filled with down and ventilated. Regular $30.00. January Sale Price, each, **$25.00**

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Old-Fashioned Brown Mixture. Special, per lb. ..... **20¢**
Special Assorted Chocolate of broken lines, including Rochon's, Moir's, Ganong's, Hamsterley and Rowntree's. Special, per lb. ..... **59¢**
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A fine display of Fur-Trimmed Coats in needlepoint, crushed plush, lambsdown and suedine, fashioned in the latest styles and colors. All attractively lined. Sizes 16 to 38, and a few out-sizes. Reduced Price for today's shoppers **24.95**

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Sport Suits at Clearing Prices

Suits at $21.95

Included in this assortment are all-wool knit suits, silk and wool mixtures, silverbriggan, fine serges and wool crepes in novelty two and three-piece styles. Sizes 16 to 38. January Sale Price

$21.95

Suits at $16.50

Coat and pull-over styles, with plain and pleated skirts in all-wool knit, silk and wool mixtures and balbriggans. Shown in odd sizes and colors. January Sale Price

$16.50

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Clearance of Millinery

The Last of Our Model Hats to Sell Today at $4.95

The remainder of our model hats, consisting of velvet and combinations of all this season's materials. Shades of black, brown, rose, blues and purple. Regular to $16.50. January Sale Price **$4.95**

35 Trimmed Hats at $3.75

Felts, velvets, silks metallics. A good assortment of styles and colors. Regular $10.50. January Sale Price **$3.75**

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

Children's Hats Half Price

Light-Weight Felt Hats, ribbon trimmed. Shown in off-the-face styles and with droop brims. Colors of red, rose, navy, brown, sand and green, also black. Sizes 5 to 10 years. Regular $4.95. January Sale Price **$2.50**

Little Girls' Winter Hats Half Price

Very attractive little hats in velour Blanket cloth, in poke or round style, with fur trimming. Sizes 6 months to 3 years. Regular $1.50 to $3.25. January Sale Prices ..... **75¢ to $1.63**

—Second Floor, H.B.C.

January Shoe Clearance

Women's Smart Footwear, Values to $7.00 for $3.45

Short and discontinued lines of seasonable shoes, in popular styles and lasts. Choice of patent leather, black kid and popular shades of colored kid leathers. Strap slippers, Oxford styles and tie models, with Cuban or spike heels. Sale Price, per pair,

3.45

Smart Shoe Styles, Values to $8.00 for $4.95

A large selection of fashionable styles in high quality footwear, including strap slippers, latest tie models and Oxfords. Choice of black kid, patent leather, and popular shades in colored kid and calf. Shown in plain and novelty designs. Widths A, B, C, D. Sale Price, per pair,

4.95

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

French Fabric Gloves

At Sale Prices

Women's Fabric Gloves at 89c a Pair

These are imported from Europe and made from specially selected fabric in various styles and designs, with silk embroidered cuffs in nice contrasting shades. Sizes 5½ to 7. Colors are grey, pastel, rosewood, modes and tans. Specially priced, pair, **89¢**

Women's Chamois Gloves, Imported From France

Pull-on style, in natural shade, with pique sewn seams. All sizes from 5¾ to 7½. Today, special, per pair **$1.39**

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Women's Dainty Neckwear Special at 69c

Included in this collection are embroidered organdie vestees, lace vestees, collars of embroidered georgette and crepe de Chine, and collar and cuff sets of organdie, linen, lace and pique. Regular to $1.25. January Sale Price, each ..... **69¢**

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Lace Clearance 6 Yards for 18c

Valenciennes Lace Edgings and Insertions, in white, cream and ecru; white torchon insertion, ecru torchon lace and Valenciennes lace beading, in white or black. Regular 5c and 8c. January Sale Price, 6 yards **18¢**

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Silk-to-the-Top Hose, 1.15 Pair

Made from pure silk thread of excellent quality and neat appearance. Good fitting hose with reinforced heels and toes and strong garter hem. Colors are sunset, French nude, evenglow, blush, moonlight and also black. Sizes 8½ to 10. January Sale Price, per pair, **$1.15**

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All Pure Wool Hose in 1-1 rib; excellent school hose, being good wearing and neat fitting. Choose from black, fawn or brown shades. Note these special prices for the January Sales:

Sizes 6 and 6½, per pair ..... **59¢**
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Boys' Long-Trouser Suits

At January Savings

Three-Piece Suits, coat, vest and long trousers, smartly tailored from snappy all-wool tweeds; choice of single and double-breasted styles. Sizes 8 to 17 years. Regular $15.75. January Sale Price **$10.85**

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The third day of this special clearance of Toiletries brings many additional bargains. Items already advertised still available if not sold out. If you want to secure some real bargains visit our drug section today.

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Gibbs' Bath Soap, 35c value at 3 for ..... **88¢**
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Briar Pipes, with spiral aluminum tube, each ..... **69¢**
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500 lbs. Pot Roast, lb ..... **15¢**
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New Zealand Lamb, Ribs, lb. ..... **19¢**
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Fillets of Pork, per lb. ..... **32¢**
Loins of Pork, per lb. ..... **32¢**
Fillets of Veal, per lb. ..... **35¢**
Loins of Veal, per lb. ..... **33¢**
Roasting Chicken, per lb. ..... **45¢**
Choice Fowl, per lb. ..... **36¢**
1,000 lbs. Small Roasts of Beef, per lb. ..... **20¢**

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

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Finest Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, per lb ..... **45¢**
3 lbs for **$1.32**
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3 lbs for **$1.26**
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. ..... **20¢**
3 lbs. for ..... **58¢**
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Machine Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb. ..... **38¢**
Finest Quality Side Breakfast Bacon, per lb. ..... **43¢**
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Shamrock Brand Side Bacon, sliced, per lb. ..... **53¢**
Swift's Boneless Ham, sliced, per lb ..... **45¢**
Shamrock Brand Hams, half or whole, per lb. ..... **35¢**
Prime Old Ontario Cheese, at, per lb. ..... **38¢**
Imported French Roquefort Cheese, per lb. ..... **60¢**
Wensleydale Crustless Cheese, in portions ..... **45¢**
Fresh Farm Eggs, fresh firsts, per dozen ..... **32¢**
Fresh Farm Eggs, pullet extras, per dozen ..... **30¢**
Swift's Premium Boiled Ham, per lb. ..... **58¢**
Sliced Pressed Beef, per lb. ..... **50¢**
Sliced Baked Ham, per lb. ..... **75¢**
Sliced Veal Loaf, per lb. ..... **40¢**
Jellied Ox Tongue, per lb. ..... **80¢**
Sliced Bologna, per lb. ..... **25¢**

Bakery Specials

Rich Cherry Cake and Fruit Cake, freshly made in our own kitchen. Special, per lb. ..... **47¢**
Ormond's Molasses Snaps, 1-lb. package ..... **17¢**
3 for ..... **50¢**
Supreme Soda Biscuits, large packages ..... **20¢**
Dollar Soda Biscuits, packed in boxes containing about 4½ lbs., each ..... **58¢**

H.B.C. Special Breakfast Tea, per lb. ..... **55¢**
3 lbs for **$1.60**
H.B.C. Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. ..... **65¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.90**
H.B.C. Freshly Ground Pure Coffee, per lb. ..... **45¢**
Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20 lb. paper sack **$1.46**
Smyrna Natural Cooking Figs, 2 lbs. for ..... **19¢**
Smyrna Table Figs. Special, per lb. ..... **23¢**
Del Monte Brand Canned Hawaiian Pineapple, No. 2 tin ..... **28¢**
2 for ..... **55¢**
Del Monte Brand Fruit Salad, No. 2½ tin ..... **44¢**
Del Monte Brand Royal Anne Cherries, No. 2½ tin ..... **42¢**
Empress Brand Pure Red Currant Jam, 4 lb. tin ..... **68¢**
Libby's California Sliced Peaches, No. 2 tin ..... **23¢**
3 tins for ..... **65¢**
Royal City Canned Carrots, fancy quality, No. 2 tin ..... **20¢**
B.C. Pure Extracted Honey, 12-oz. jar ..... **22¢**
Van Houten's Pure Dutch Cocoa, in bulk, per lb. ..... **52¢**
Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, 12-oz. tin, Special ..... **46¢**
Quaker Brand Canned Early June Peas, No. 2 tin, 2 for ..... **35¢**

Fruit and Vegetables

New California Sunkist Navel Oranges, per dozen ..... **40¢, 50¢, 65¢** and ..... **70¢**
Black Diamond Florida Grapefruit, 2 for **25¢, 15¢** and ..... **20¢**
California Sunkist Grapefruit at 4 for ..... **25¢**
Extra Fancy Yellow Newton Apples, per box **$3.50**
Okanagan Jonathan Apples, per box **$2.38**
Fresh Local Rhubarb, bundle, **20¢**
Finest Celery, per stick ..... **15¢** and ..... **20¢**

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

CAPITALS WIN INTERCITY HOCKEY HONORS

DEFEAT VANCOUVER TOWERS, 5-2, BEFORE 3,200 SPECTATORS

Victory Brings Wilkerson Cup to City for First Time—Capitals Display Professional Form in Downing Terminals in Dazzling Display

Osmundsen Nets Three Goals for Victoria in Brilliant Ice Duel

Flashing the speed and the fine points of a band of professionals, Victoria Capitals skated their way to a 5-2 victory over Vancouver Towers last night at the Willows Ice Palace to win the final and deciding game of the Wilkerson Cup intercity hockey series before 3,200 fans, the largest crowd that has ever attended an amateur ice tilt in this city. The game was packed with thrills and had the spectators on their feet throughout the sixty minutes of the finest Simon-pure exhibition ever furnished here.

Capitals' win was a clear-cut one and there is no doubt that the best team won. The three periods tingled with excitement. They were lightning fast, productive of dazzling combination, stiff back-checking and brilliant individual sorties.

The first canto ended one-all, with Victoria having a slight edge, and Goalie Hamm distinguishing himself with some clever saves. The second was about fifty-fifty. Victoria skated off the ice at the end of this period enjoying a one-goal lead of a 3-2 score. The last session was Victoria from the first blast of the whistle.

The verdict was a pleasant one and sent the fans home in the best of spirits. There were no flare-ups among the players, and Referee Gordon Meeking was only called upon to issue four penalties, all for minor infringements of the playing code.

CAPITALS SHOW WARES

Captials showed real stuff in all departments of the game, and the Towers battled them hand to hand during the first two periods. Superior condition, however, told in the last chapter, and Capitals climaxed a great game by banging through two counters to cinch the fixture.

The work of the whole Victoria squad was above reproach. They skated like fiends, checked like veterans and combined like a flock of geese. The work of Osie Osmundsen, Taylor and Leacock was outstanding, and their individual play and general combination drew many plaudits from the packed stands. To Alex. Straith goes a great deal of credit. Alex. turned in one of the smartest performances of his lengthy career and had the Vancouver team dropping their heads in disappointment. Hughie Burnett and Knipfel also turned in a sparkling display and the pair broke up rushes with the ease of a stonecrusher. The rest of the team fitted into their positions as if they were made for them.

The 500 leather-lunged youngsters from four of the public schools added color to the event. Seated at the entrance and rush seats, the boys kept up a continual uproar, and their cheers were pleasing to hear.

There were many smiles in the dressing-room following the game. Osmundsen, who scored three goals for Victoria and assisted in another, received many words of praise from his teammates.

The win puts Victoria on the ice hockey map. In the last three performances they have whipped the best three teams that the Terminal City could produce. Their win brings the Wilkerson Cup to the city for the first time, and officials of the club are determined that it will reside here for some time.

There were few dull moments in the battle. The teams put everything they had into the fray from start to finish, and the fans were not afraid to show their appreciation. Cheer after cheer encouraged the locals and Mainlanders on and the pace was of the cyclonic variety.

Towers put up stiff opposition, but they were short of the staying powers which featured Victoria's play. Goalie George Hamm, Benny Fellowes and John Wickson presented a strong defence, while Norman Grimmett and Thompson shone brightly on the attack.

The first period was lightning fast and ended one-all. Both goalies were tested with bullet drives and provided the fans with some sensational styles of blocking. Shail had the first shot, but Hamm went to his knees and blocked. Thompson drove in a wicked shot, but Straith cleared with the coolness of a cucumber. Norm Grimmett broke through, but his shot sailed wide and Burnett carried the puck to test Hamm again.

Osmundsen, Taylor and Leacock combined in a flashy rush, but Hamm picked off "Osie's" drive brilliantly. Straith saved two from Grimmett and Thompson and on a return rush Hamm was forced into quick action when Taylor went through on a pass from Osmundsen.

WICKSON NETS FIRST

The first counter came after five minutes of play. John Wickson blocked a shot on his line and sailed up the ice to outwit the defence and pick the corner of the net with a lightning shot. Straith had no chance to save.

For a few minutes Vancouver dominated the play and Straith was bombarded from all angles and distances. Capitals soon found themselves, and six minutes later Taylor and Osmundsen went down the slippery surface and Taylor bulged the hemp behind Hamm with a rifle drive. Burnett gave the fans a thrill when he stopped Allan Fellowes and stickhandled his way through the Towers' defence, only to have Hamm pull off a spectacular clear.

Straith distinguished himself about two minutes before the whistle when he flung himself onto the ice to gather in Thompson's shot, after the Vancouver player had beat the local defence. Hamm robbed Osmundsen of a goal by coming out of his cage and gathering in the rubber.

The second period was three minutes' old when Victoria counted again. The goal had a big element of luck attached to it and was scored from behind the goal. Stanyar drove the puck against Hamm, and the disc hit the goalie's skate and glided into the net. About ten seconds later the towering form of John Wickson beat all outside opposition, but Straith picked off his drive.

GET TWO-GOAL LEAD

One minute and thirty seconds after Stanyar's goal on one of the prettiest combined rushes of the game, Osmundsen gave Victoria a two-goal lead when he netted the puck on a pass from Taylor. The latter stickhandled his way past Wickson and made no mistake with the pass. Straith came out a minute later and saved from Grimmett.

Towers drew up a goal about a minute before time, Evans scoring on a pass from Benny Fellowes on a well-engineered play.

The final session produced the fastest hockey and Capitals' play scintillated. One minute from the whistle Osmundsen gave Victoria a two-goal lead on a pass from Burnett. It was a beautiful three-man rush in which Taylor also figured, and completely baffled the opposing defence. Osmundsen, Taylor and Leacock showed great form and for nine minutes had the fans in a continuous uproar. Twice Vancouver looked dangerous, but Straith cleared well.

The final goal went to Osmundsen and was ticketed all the way. Breaking away from a scramble in front of the Victoria goal, "Osie" skipped his way up the ice, beat Grimmett and Wickson and drove in a bullet drive, which left Hamm in a very dazed condition. It was like a rifle shot, and Hamm had no chance to gather the rubber in.

Towers exerted themselves in the final minutes, but Victoria never let up and held the invaders at bay.

The line-ups were:

Victoria		Vancouver
Straith	Goal	Hamm
Burnett	Defence	B. Fellowes
Knipfel	Defence	Wickson
Taylor	Right wing	Thompson
Osmundsen	Centre	Grimmett
Shail	Left wing	Evans
Mummery	Reserve	A. Fellowes
Dowman	Reserve	Quinton
Stanyar	Reserve	Owens
Leacock	Reserve	

Referee—Gordon Meeking.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Vancouver, Wickson, 5:30; 2, Victoria, Taylor from Osmundsen, 6:10.

Second period—Victoria, Stanyar, 3:30; 4, Victoria, Osmundsen from Taylor, 1:30; 5, Vancouver, Evans from B. Fellowes, 12:45.

Third period—6, Victoria, Osmundsen from Burnett, 1:30; 7, Victoria, Osmundsen, 15:20.

PENALTIES

First period—Wickson, Leacock.
Second period—Burnett.
Third period—B. Fellowes.

Bring Added Laurels to Victoria in Winning Wilkerson Cup

CHET DOWMAN

EARL KNIPFEL

ALEX. STRAITH

HUGHIE BURNETT

AL MUMMERY

FRED SHAIL

WALKER TAYLOR

OSIE OSMUNDSEN

STAN STANYAR

Golf Is Added to Middies' Studies Under New Ruling

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 20.—The United States Naval Academy yesterday became the first college of importance in the country, it is believed here, to make golf a compulsory part of its curriculum.

Hereafter midshipmen qualifying at the Academy for commissions as officers of the Navy must take a course of ten lessons in golf and must pass the course.

Academy officials pointed out that compulsory golf was necessary to the midshipman's life because it would be an asset, they said, after the student's graduation when he would associate largely with groups who followed the pastime.

Rickard Denies Visit Relates To Next Fight

MIAMI BEACH, Jan. 20.—Tex Rickard and Gene Tunney "already understand each other," and there is little prospect of an important agreement relative to the heavyweight title fight prospects for 1928, during the promoter's stay here, he declared tonight.

Although newspaper reports heralded Rickard's trip here as being the final step in completing the promoter's recently announced plans to match the champion and Jack Dempsey for a title fight in June or July, Rickard declared that his visit was for a "rest," and that he didn't "want to see a boxing glove or even talk about one." Rickard, accompanied by his wife and child, arrived here today and registered at the same hotel where Tunney is staying. Tunney and the promoter will attend a banquet tomorrow night given in the champion's honor.

GRASS HOCKEY NOTES

There will be a grass hockey practice at the Oak Bay Park grounds this afternoon of the Victoria Grass Hockey Club, at 2:30 sharp. This will be an important practice, as several stiff matches are to take place in the near future. All players are asked to be on time at the park.

MONARCHS AND EX-MEN DRAW

Listless Exhibition Features One-All Tie in Last Game of Vancouver League Schedule

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—Ex-King George and Monarch puckchasers wound up the regular league schedule tonight by playing three listless periods to a one-all draw. For the best part of the game the teams did not display much that looked like real hockey. The King men were without the services of Buster Pennock and Ted Gyles, while Monarchs had neither Sibbetts nor Cranstoun on the ice. Sibbetts is sick in bed, while Cranstoun is being given a chance to rest his knee.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Ex-King George, McKay, 3:40.

Second period—No score.

Third period — 2, Monarchs, Dodge, 11:55.

PENALTIES

First period—None.
Second period—None.
Third period—Blair, Henderson, Bain and Dodge, 3 minutes; Riley, 2 minutes.

Mrs. Todd and Miss Mary Campbell Win

Mrs. E. D. Todd won the class "A" bogey round played at the Victoria Golf Club yesterday, finishing nine down. Miss Mary Campbell won in class "B", being two up on the Colonel. On Monday a tombstone competition will be held.

Kansas City Pla-Mors Claim World's Record for Hockey Shut-Outs

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 20.—A world's record of holding their opponents scoreless in seven consecutive hockey games was claimed tonight by Kansas City Pla-Mors, of the American Association. St. Paul was on the short end of a 3-0 game with the Pla-Mors tonight.

The Pla-Mors blanked Winnipeg on January 3 to start the string, Duluth, Minneapolis and St. Paul were held scoreless in two games each. In the eight-game home series the Kansas City team won six games, playing scoreless ties twice with Duluth, league leaders.

JOHNNY CAMERON AND PEDEN STAR

Local Aquatic Stars Carry Off Major Share of Points in Scottish Swimming Gala

Johnny Cameron, well known aquatic star, demonstrated his ability as a swimmer last night at the intercompany swimming gala of the 16th Canadian Scottish Regiment, held at the Bay Street Armories, when he carried off the honors in a major share of the events. Bill Peden, another swimmer of renown, appeared in the prize list just as frequently as Cameron, and in most instances in second place.

In addition to the former stars the performance of Lloyd Young, a new arrival from the East, made a good showing.

Headquarters company, of which Cameron and Peden are members, carried off the majority of the points, with No. 1 company second and No. 2 company third.

Complete summary of points follows:

Headquarters Company, 103.
No. 1 Company, 39.
No. 3 Company, 29.

Complete results follow:

25 yards—1, Cameron; 2, Peden; 3, Young.

Fancy diving—1, Cameron; 2, Mercer; 3, Mawhood.

25 yards backstroke—1, Cameron; 2, Peden.

Plunging for distance—1, Young; 2, Cameron; 3, Peden.

50 yards relay—1, Headquarters; 2, No. 1 Company; 3, No. 3 Company.

Retrieving plates—1, Cameron; 2, Peden; 3, Mawhood; 4, Mercer.

Diving—1, Cameron; 2, Mawhood; 3, Mercer.

100 yards—1, Cameron; 2, Peden; 3, Mercer.

The officials of the event were as follows: Judges, Lieut. Barton and Lieut. Weller; starter, Lieut. D. Wilson; official scorer, Lieut. Stewart Robertson; chief steward, Sergeant Sheasby.

Bags Big Cougar

Ken Gillespie bagged a large cougar in the Gordon River district, Cowichan Lake, early this week.

Start Drive Against Professional Boxing

ALBANY, N.Y., Jan. 20.—A drive against professional pugilism was launched in the New York Legislature yesterday by Senator Alfred J. Kennedy. Senator Kennedy introduced a bill designed to prohibit boxing or wrestling matches for cash prizes.

The bill stipulates that its prohibitions shall not apply to contests at which prizes other than cash are awarded.

PAYNE WINS B.C. BILLIARD TITLE

Defeats H. Hodgson 1,000 to 495 in Final of Provincial Play-Offs—Will Go East

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—C. A. L. Payne, English billiards champion of the Dominion, tonight defeated H. Hodgson 1,000 points to 495 in the final for the provincial title and the right to journey East in defence of his crown. They played two blocks of 500 points, Payne winning the first, 500 to 243. Payne's breaks included a 71, 63 unfinished and a 59. Payne will leave for the East on February 1, and his first match will be against the Alberta champion, probably at Edmonton.

Nanaimo Bowling

NANAIMO, Jan. 20.—Last night's bowling fixture on the Nanaimo Alleys resulted in the Marine Three Stars taking all three points from the Nanaimo Lumber Co.'s team. J. McGregor played high man with 191 pins and was high average with 167 pins. The scores were:

MARINE THREE STARS

S. Burns	187	125	124
C. Carr	148	150	122
J. McGregor	191	147	164
G. Lawrence	154	183	133
J. Freer	161	162	175
Total pins, 3,222	836	767	720

NANAIMO LUMBER CO.

J. Thompson	148	106	150
H. Allen	167	171	124
J. Richardson	113	159	146
W. Green	111	139	143
C. Swanson	142	140	127
Total pins, 2,165	681	724	700

HOLLIDAY TO MEET KETCHELL JAN. 26

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—Harvey Holliday, Vancouver flyweight, has been signed to meet Jimmy Ketchell, of Seattle, at 112 pounds in the six-round semi-final to the Billy Townsend-Ritchie King ten-round battle, scheduled for next Thursday night.

King, the all-navy champion, who meets Townsend, is hard at work for the bout in Seattle, and is due Saturday to continue his training.

Townsend was laid off Thursday by his trainer, George Paris. He will be back in the gym this afternoon, however.

YOUNG NATIONALISTA LOSES

CULVER CITY, Cal., Jan. 20.—Santiago Zorilla, Panama featherweight flash, outboxed Young Nationalista, Filipino rubber ball, to take the decision in their ten-round go here last night.

Pick Your Man to Meet Tunney

By AL DEMAREE
(Former Pitcher, New York Giants)

It seems to me that it would be a good idea to submit a referendum to the fight fans to determine the next opponent for Gene Tunney.

Popular opinion is represented only vaguely in the newspapers printing the stories of the professional ballyhooers. Let the fans themselves determine by a popular vote which challenger would be the most popular opponent for the champion.

Above is a ballot which can be filled out by my readers. The tally of these ballots will indicate which man is the people's choice for the job of facing Tunney. Come on, fans; who will it be?

HUDKINS WINS 10-ROUND BOUT

Nebraska Wildcat Gains Right to Meet Sammy Baker in Return Engagement

TENDLER WEAKENS IN LATE ROUNDS

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Ace Hudkins, the Nebraska wildcat, won a mauling ten-round bout from Lew Tendler, Philadelphia southpaw veteran, in the main go tonight at Madison Square Garden boxing show. Tendler lasted through the last two rounds with difficulty after taking a count of eight in the seventh. Hudkins scaled 149¼ pounds; Tendler 151.

Tendler was pudgy and slow at the weight and the blond appeared content to maul without serious intent in the final rounds. The battle was a constant series of close range exchanges with both men playing to the body. Tendler weakened badly after holding Ace even in the early rounds. A solid left and right hook to the body floored the veteran in the seventh.

From that point on, Tendler barely evaded a knockout by clinging tight to Hudkins whenever possible. Occasionally Lew dug the once mighty left into the Nebraskan's body and slowed him temporarily. By his victory, Hudkins earned a return match with Sammy Baker, the soldier battler, who scored a technical knockout over him last Summer. The winner of the Hudkins-Baker go probably will be matched with Joe Dundee, champion of the welters, in a title tussle here.

ROSS BAY SCORES DECISIVE WIN OVER TILLICUMS

Last night's Roller Hockey League games resulted as follows:

90 pound class—Tillicums 4, Marigold Maroons 4.

110 pound class—Ross Bay 10, Tillicums 3.

Carlow of the Tillicums and Orman of the Maroons did all the scoring in the first game, netting the puck four times each.

The teams were:

Marigold Maroons—A. Rickman, S. Frost, B. Duncan, L. Fieldhouse, Archie Orman and C. Atkinson.

Tillicum A.C.—Carlow, H. Woodford, W. Scott, A. Murray, I. Murray, G. Jones and R. Carlow.

The second game resulted in a decisive victory for Ross Bay over the Tillicums. Green of the winners with six goals proved to be the leading sharpshooter. Attwood, with three, and Palmer, with one, were the other scorers for Ross Bay. Carlow and Shouldice found the net for the clubmen, the former scoring twice and the latter once.

The teams were:

Ross Bay.—L. Palmer, Dick Allwood, Vic. Palmer, Jack Norris, J. Parker, G. Patterson, Art Green and Nookie McDonald.

Tillicum A.C.—Bill Smith, W. Shouldice, Bob Carlow, Howard Johnson, Brock Robertson and D. Carlow.

Rugby Line-Up

Oak Bay Wanderers—Campbell, Eagle, Harris, Newell, McConnan, Laundy, Symons, Harrison, Backler, Pease, Senkler, Dunn, Cooper, Sherwood and King.

Canadian Scottish—Nichol, Turgoose, Horne, Henderson and Farrer; Shaw, Quinn and Pollard; Graham, Goodwin, Wilson, McGiverin, Girling, Forbes and Wightman. Spare, Hesselein.

Canadian Scottish Intermediates—Baker, W. Turgoose, Ford, Healy, Hobson, Sturrock, Killick, D. Tye, Gann (capt.), Beck, Davis, Young, Knight, Kinsman, Graham and Spence (spare).

HOUSE WINS EASILY

PASADENA, Cal., Jan. 20.—Mack House, Pasadena negro heavyweight, severely pumelled Joe Woods, promising young Los Angeles boxer, here last night, to win a technical knockout in the final session of a scheduled ten-round bout.

GOLF AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

Will reaching for the ball tend to produce a hook?

By WILLIAM MEHLHORN
United States Western Open Champion, 1924; Santa Clara Valley Open Champion, 1927

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To a certain extent, reaching for the ball will produce a hook. Reaching will give freer arm action and the hands will work faster in pronating, causing a hook.

Today's Sport Programme

RUGBY

Senior—

J.B.A.A. vs. United Service, at the Willows. Kick-off 3.30 p.m.

16th Canadian Scottish vs. Pirates, at Cranmore Road.

Intermediate—

Brentwood College vs. Victoria College, at High School.

16th Canadian Scottish vs. Normal School, at University School.

University School vs. Wanderers, at the Willows. Kick-off, 2:30 p.m.

All other games start at 3 p.m.

SOCCER

Province Cup, qualifying round, final—

Victoria West vs. Saanich Thistles, at Royal Athletic Park.

Kick-off at 2:30 p.m.

Juvenile League—

Division 1:

Five C's vs. Victoria West at Upper Beacon Hill; Referee McKay.

Esquimalt vs. Burnside Athletic Club at Victoria West Park; Referee Brigden.

Royal Oak vs. James Bay, at Lower Beacon Hill; Referee Woodley.

Kick-offs for Division 1, at 2:30 p.m.

Division 2:

Esquimalt vs. Burnside A.C., at Victoria West; Referee Fields.

Five C's vs. Maple Leafs at Heywood Avenue; Referee Proven.

Kick-offs for Division 2, at 11 a.m.

Division 3:

Victoria City vs. Esquimalt, at Upper Central Park; Referee Woodley.

Kick-off for Division 3, at 11 a.m.

First-named clubs are the home clubs.

Managers of teams are asked to report scores of games to the secretary, Phone 4262R, before 6 p.m., on the day on which the game is played.

BASKETBALL

Four-game programme staged by City Basketball League at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, commencing at 7:30 p.m.

High School vs. 16th Canadian Scottish.

Hillcrests vs. Jordan River.

Adanacs vs. B. C. Telephone.

Onwegos vs. C.P.S.

BOXING

International boxing programme at the Tillicum Athletic Club gymnasium, 1305 Broad Street. Eleven bouts with the first boys entering the ring at 8 p.m.

BOWLING

City League fixture at the Arcade Alleys—Colonist vs. James Island.

Tonight's Big League Hockey

Ottawa vs. Toronto, at Toronto.

Montreal Maroons vs. Montreal Canadiens, at Montreal.

Boston vs. Chicago, at Chicago.

SUNDAY'S GAMES

Pittsburgh vs. New York Rangers, at New York

Boston vs. Detroit, at Detroit.

INTERNATIONAL BOXING TONIGHT

Three Seattle and Four Ladysmith Lads Will Appear on Tillicum Card—Eleven Bouts

P. O. MASON IN HEADLINE BOUT

With at least seven outsiders appearing on today's boxing card which will be staged by the Tillicum Athletic Club, it looks as if the officials in charge are going to put over one of the finest programmes of its class yet seen in this city. International flavor has been added to the card by the bringing to the city of two Seattle boxers, while Ladysmith will be represented by four of their best amateur boys. Ten bouts, with the sound of the first gong at 8 p.m. promptly, round out a complete programme.

F. B. Richardson, secretary of the club, wired from Seattle stating that he had secured Harper Gaston, eighty-five-pounder, to don the mitts with Clarence Leask, and Tommy Hamilton, who pulls the scales around the 125-pound mark, to mix with Tim Keist.

Leask, one of the best local boys, has fought his way to victory over his last nine opponents and is rated by ring critics as a comer. He will be given an opportunity to see what he can do with his opponent from the Sound city.

Jack Proby, known as the gamest youngster that has ever climbed over the ropes in the Tillicum Athletic Club gymnasium, has been matched with a boy from Ladysmith, while another up-Island lad will step three rounds with Herbert Sutton.

P.O. Mason, of the Royal Canadian Navy, one of the best known local boxers has been matched with A. Spruston, of Ladysmith. The lads will step in the ring at 147 pounds.

J. Simpson, who hails from the up-Island town, will try conclusions with "Scotty" Sinnott in what promises to be a lively go. Danny Pastro and Bill Hudson should give the patrons a few anxious moments.

Frank Hall, H. Bailey, A. Coates, Bruce Lowe, Lewis and Ronald Service are other local boys who will enter the ring.

Neel, the fighting barber, will oppose Barber of Seattle for the seventh bout between local and outside boys. Neel is a well known figure to the fans, and his appearance on the card will be greatly appreciated.

The complete programme is as follows:

85 pounds—A. Coats vs. Lewis.

95 pounds—J. Proby vs. Ladysmith opponent.

95 pounds—H. Sutton vs. Ladysmith opponent.

125 pounds—Danny Pastro vs. Dick Hudson.

135 pounds—Bruce Low vs. Ron Service, of Royal Oak.

145 pounds—Scotty Sinnott vs. J. Simpson, of Ladysmith.

150 pounds—H. Bailey vs. Frank Hall.

160 pounds—Cliff Dawley vs. Geo. Driver.

85 pounds—Clarence Leask vs. Harper Gaston, of Seattle.

125 pounds—Tim Keist vs. Tom Hamilton, of Seattle.

147 pounds—Petty Officer Mason vs. A. Sprunston, Ladysmith.

118 pounds—Neel vs. Barber, of Seattle.

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CLARENCE LEASK

Clever eighty-five pound boxer who will meet Harper Gaston, colored lad from Seattle in tonight's card staged by the Tillicum Athletic Club. Leask has stopped nine opponents in as many fights.

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Whippet Badminton Club Wins Honors

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 20.—The Whippet Badminton Club visited the United Church and engaged the latter in a series of games, suffering defeat by 109 points to 90. The following is a list of games, with scores, United Church players' names being mentioned first in each instance:

Mounce and Miss Mann lost to Lockhart and Miss Frelone, 7-11.

Brown and Miss Auchterlonie lost to White and Mrs. Bannerman, 9-11.

Hicks and Miss Hunden won from Frelone and Miss Aspesy, 11-4.

Auchterlonie and Miss Haywood won from Dando and Miss Balagno, 11-6.

McLean and Mrs. Brown won from Walker and Miss Boffey, 11-8.

Stevens and Miss Hood won from Bates and Mrs. Hutchinson, 11-7.

Brown and Miss Hunden won from Bannerman and Miss Dando, 11-2.

McLean and Miss Watson won from Bennie and Mrs. Bannerman, 11-4.

Hewitt and Miss Mann lost to Lockhart and Miss Aspesy, 3-11.

Hicks and Miss Hunden won from Dando and Miss Frelone, 11-9.

Mann and Walker lost to Lockhart and Whyte, 2-11.

Henderson and Miss Auchterlonie won from Frelone and Miss Boffey, 11-6.

Leonardo Seppala Makes Best Time

LAKE PLACID, N.Y., Jan. 20.—Leonardo Seppala, of Nome, Alaska, drove the dog team making the best time in today's competition of the dog sled Derby here. Seppala covered the fifteen-mile course in one hour, twenty six minutes and seventeen seconds. Today's time will be averaged with the time made tomorrow to determine the winners.

The team of Mrs. E. C. Ricker, of Poland Springs, Maine, was second in one hour, forty-eight minutes and two seconds.

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TWO LONGSHOTS COME THROUGH

Coalescence and Jimmy Trins Return Fine Odds at Tijuana Track

(Special to The Colonist)

TIJUANA RACE TRACK, Jan. 20.—Coalescence, with Jockey Fisher in the saddle, provided a surprise packet at the racing here today when he won the second race to pay $52.80 straight and $16.60 place. He was in fast company and was overlooked by the majority of the bettors. Jimmy Trins won the fifth race to return $35. Results follow:

First race—Three furlongs:

1. Vittoria (Baker)	$ 8.60	$ 2.20	$ 2.00
2. Valucia (Frye)		2.80	2.20
2. Mildred Wood (Jones)			28.60

Time, :38 2-5.

Second race—Six furlongs:

1. Coalescence (Fisher)	152.80	$16.60	$ 6.00
2. Queen Bess (Hooper)		5.00	3.20
2. Herrigan's Heir (Lindseth)			6.40

Time, 1:14 3-5. Scratched: Claudius, Bookworm, Slippery Smile, Matinee Idol.

Third race—One mile and seventy yards:

1. Sister Josella (Russell)	$ 7.20	$ 4.80	$ 4.40
2. Macuahia II (Francis)		18.80	8.60
2. Forty-Two (Chamberlain)			12.80

Time, 1:47. Scratched: Louie Wright, Snow Cap, Our Dan, Colonel Carr.

Fourth race—Six furlongs:

1. Coffield (Rennie)	$ 6.00	$ 2.20	$ 2.20
2. Big Heart (Baker)		4.00	2.40
2. Kilauea (Elston)			3.20

Time, 1:14 1-5. Scratched: Praise, The Captain, Captain Le Roy, Miss Fountain.

Fifth race—Six furlongs:

1. J. Trins (Luther)	$25.00	$11.40	$ 5.60
2. J. Campbell (Francis)		2.80	2.80
2. Is Zat So (Owen)			5.20

Time, 1:14 2-5. Scratched: Flying Chief, Apple Sauce, For Me, Pangold, Lou Shank, Redskin, Pennon, Le Elegante.

Sixth race—Five and one-half furlongs:

1. Beauty Star (Rennie)	$ 4.60	$ 2.60	$ 2.60
2. Waikiki (Frye)		5.60	4.20
3. Maghery (Hooper)			6.60

Time, 1:08. Scratched: High Art, Miss Lester, Conclusive, Estrelle G., Rock of Ages.

Seventh race—One mile:

1. Duck It (Luther)	$ 8.00	$ 3.80	$ 2.40
2. Shasta Flapper (H. Philpot)		8.00	3.40
3. Chicory (Jenner)			2.60

Time, 1:41 2-5. Scratched: Drazon.

Eighth race—Clubhouse course:

1. Aznate (Fisher)	$14.80	$ 8.00	$ 5.60
2. San Carlos (Peternel)		5.80	4.40
3. Parnell (Horning)			4.20

Time, 1:36. Scratched: Spearo, Rex Roma, Fire Captain, Barn Dollar.

Ninth race—Six furlongs:

1. Deep Thoughts (Russell)	$ 4.80	$ 4.00	$ 2.80
2. Adolphus (Luther)		6.60	3.20
3. Better Luck (Rennie)			3.00

Time, 1:13 2-5. Scratched: Roper, Jack Sharper, Frank Light, Cobra.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—Three furlongs:

Coahuila 112
Omarsan 114
Money's Worth 103
Billy Centner 112
Blind Hills 102
Woodrain 119
Bay Land 114
Frank D 122
Black Darline 119
Plamarno 97
Cottage Grove 104
Myrtle Mint 107
Via 103
Sierra Hills 108

Second Race—Five furlongs:

Mazie G 110
Kid North 112
Louie's Luck 110
Rockliuna 110
War Maid 110
Mission Lad 112
Shasta Belle 110
Lahaina 110
Shoeshine 112
Last Shot 112
Greenshield 112
Sierras Shot 110
Reina Nevada 110
Lord Assaal 112
Aalii Paahu 112
Straight 112
Right Twenty 112
Two Sixty 112

Third Race—Mile and one-quarter:

Shasta Baily 108
Alice Loraine 98
Composer 104
Montdale 104
Mint Julep 103
Vennie Sue 98
Chick Bell 109
Tulsa 112
Four Sixty 101
Zinz 111
Krekzunas 105
Chula Vista 101
Son o' Trump 101
Dukedom 105

Fourth Race—Mile and one-quarter:

Ruddy 105
Daytime 101
Cruzern 105
Tea Taster 105
Clearview 108
Metal 113
Gailford 101
Chispas 108
Rob Roy 113
Jolly Cephas 101
Zerline 98
Evelyn Brown 98
Fair Trial 104
Zucca 109
Plain Rock 106

Fifth Race—Six furlongs:

Frank G Menke 105
Somera Gale 118
Alex Pantages 118
Fitterman 105
Judge Schilling 110
Polita 112
Sunny Saint 113
Mi Companero 105
Vowed Vengeance 110

Sixth Race—Mile and one-quarter:

President 105
Parnell 104
Indian Tales 108
Golden Sweep 112
Fasciate 105
Buzzer 90
Bryn Dear 112
Bardalid 110
Worthman 112
Common Gold 110

Seventh Race—Clubhouse Course:

Trade Wind 101
Klick Bum 108
Sixpence 108
Cloud Accelerator 106
Sep. Goldman 108
Golden Glen 108
Spearshot 108
Fire Captain 106
Barber Bill 108
Bulletproof 108
Golden Shore 111
Culiacan 106
Flying Chief 108
Lloyd Brown 108

Eighth Race—One mile:

Better Luck 103
Dr. Clark 102
Voshell 108
Shasta Negra 108
Margie K 105
Palola 108
Blue Fish 110
Realist 102
Pegasus 115
Long Joe 101

Ninth Race—Six furlongs:

Jedburgh Abbey 100
Sedge 104
My Daddy 104
War Bells 110
Time Exposure 108
Quince Garden 109
Buck Pond 114
Yami 113
Pennon 109
Leo Lampe 100
Sonny 104
Soldier Bird 107
Bronx 104
Montello 107
The Gaff 104
Shasta Rock 112
Irish Princess 117
John A. Scott, Jr 114

WANTS TO ATTAIN 220 MILES AN HOUR

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Belief that his new racing car, the Blue Bird, built at a cost of £20,000, especially for an attempt to break the world's automobile speed record at Daytona Beach, is capable of achieving a speed of 220 miles an hour, was expressed by its owner and designer, Captain Malcolm Campbell, here today. Campbell will take the Blue Bird with him to the United States about February 1.

SHEELEY RELEASED

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Earl Sheeley, first baseman of the Chicago White Sox, was released outright today to Sacramento of the Pacific Coast League.

Only Canadian to Hold Heavy Title

NOAH BROSSEAU

Alias Noah Brusso, alias Tommy Burns, above is the first and only Canadian to hold the heavyweight boxing championship of the world and the second Canadian to hold a world's pro boxing title of any sort. Brosseau, who was born near Hanover, Ont., forty-six years ago, was in his younger days a star amateur lacrosse player and played all over Ontario under the name of Noah Brusso. When he went into the prize ring he adopted the ring name.

Yanks May Have To Put Another Team in Field

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—If the Yankees keep up their present pace in pennant winning, as well as in player purchasing, it may be necessary for them to put a "B" team on the field, as some of the colleges are doing in football, to revive American League competition and give the surplus talent something to do.

They will have the material to do it by 1929, at any rate. The club already has a second baseman, shortstop and a few pitchers tagged for delivery next year or later.

COASTERS TO BID

The two-team idea would relieve Miller Huggins of no little embarrassment when his recruits, such as Lyn Lary and Jimmy Reese, start reporting for action, and bidding for places on an outfit that looks good enough now to withstand most tests for at least two or three years to come.

Games might be arranged on the home-and-home basis, if the other American League clubs fell in with the idea. While team "A" was engaging the Athletics at the Yankee Stadium, team "B" would oppose the Philadelphia seconds at Shibe Park, or Huggins might split up his first-string nine and put Gehrig or Ruth with team "B" occasionally to attract the customers.

MIGHT COPY IRISH

To offer a further alternate, Huggins might borrow the Notre Dame system, starting his second-string team as shock troops and rushing in the regulars when the reserves appeared to be weakening. It would be an interesting sight to see Ruth, Gehrig, Lazzeri, Meusel and the rest of the regulars dash out of the dugout, along about the fifth inning, and swing into action against a visiting aggregation that had been finding holes in the defence put up by Lary, Reese, Gazella, Paschal and other reservists.

DELANEY KAYOES BELGIAN CHAMPION

BOSTON, Jan. 20.—Jack Delaney, of Bridgeport, Conn., scored a technical knockout over Jack Humbeck, Belgian heavyweight champion, here tonight when the referee stopped the bout in the sixth round to spare the Belgian further punishment. Humbeck's left eye was completely closed and with the right fast closing. Delaney weighed 178 pounds against Humbeck's 199.

In the fifth round Humbeck began to feel the weight of Delaney's attack. In this round Delaney closed Humbeck's left eye with a series of stinging left jabs, and knocked him down with a right smash to the jaw for a count of eight.

Throughout the match Delaney scored almost at will with his left jab and right uppercut. Humbeck proved dangerous at all times, however, with a swinging left and a swinging right which caused Delaney to treat his opponent with respect.

Although Humbeck's heavy swings often found their mark on Delaney a trickle of blood from Delaney's nose indicated the extent of the damage they could inflict.

Al Walker, New Haven, won on a foul in the second round over Jeff Clark, of Florida, in the four-round preliminary.

Youthful English Star in Fine Win

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—England triumphed over the United States today in the Canadian amateur racquets championship.

It was a signal victory for England. Her youthful star, H. W. Kemp Welch, defeated the champion of the game in the United States, C. C. Pell, 15-4, 15-12, 15-10.

Canada was successful in the morning games when A. S. Cassils, Montreal, defeated T. C. Clarue, of Boston, 15-10, 16-13, 15-3.

for Thin Blood

DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD

FOUR CAGE GAMES BILLED TONIGHT

City Basketball League Will Stage Full Programme at Y.M.C.A., Commencing at 7:30 O'Clock

City League basketball teams will present a four-game programme at the Y.M.C.A. tonight, with High School and Canadian Scottish hooking up in the first engagement at 7:30 o'clock. Keen rivalry exists betwen these quintettes, and a great battle is expected.

Jordan River, undisputed leaders of the men's senior "A" division, with an unbroken string of victories, are billed to battle the Hillcrests in the second game. Unless the Hillmen have made a great change in their line-up, the Riverites will be favored to come through with a win.

Adanacs and B.C. Telephone ladies' "A" quintettes should put up an interesting struggle when they clash in the third game. The "Helo Girls" are at present topping their division without a defeat, but the Adanacs will be out to break their string of victories.

The final game on the programme will bring together Onwegos and C.P.S. in what promises to be a good battle.

REVISED SCHEDULE

The revised schedule which was released yesterday by the league officials, is as follows:

January 25—Navy vs. Gyros, Red Birds vs. Red Wings, C.P.S. vs. Normals.

January 26—Hudson's Bay vs. Onwegos, Axioms vs. Maple Leafs, Keating vs. Sons of Canada.

January 28.—V.M.D. vs. Normals, C.P.S. vs. Hillcrests, College vs. Normals, Jordan River vs. Onwegos.

February 1—Gyros vs. Onwegos, Red Wings vs. Axioms, C.P.S. vs. Sons of Canada.

February 2—High School vs. College, Maple Leafs vs. Red Wings, V.M.D. vs. Navy.

Feburary 4—Gyros vs. Hudson's Bay, Jordan River vs. C.P.S., Telephone vs. College, Onwegos vs. Hillcrests.

February 8—Sixteenth Canadian Scottish vs. College, Red Wings vs. Red Birds, Onwegos vs. V.M.D.

February 9—Foresters vs. Garrison, Maple Leafs vs. Axioms, V.M.D. vs. Keating.

February 11—Jordan River vs. Hillcrests, Normals vs. Adanacs, C.P.S. vs. Onwegos, Gyros vs. Foresters.

February 15—Onwegos vs. Navy, Red Birds vs. Axioms, Keating vs. Normals.

February 16—College vs. High School, Maple Leafs vs. Red Birds, Gyros vs. V.M.D.

February 18—Sixteenth Canadian Scottish vs. College, Jordan River vs. C.P.S., Hillcrests vs. Onwegos, Hudson's Bay vs. Foresters.

February 22—Onwegos vs. Garrison, Red Birds vs. Axioms, Gyros vs. Navy.

February 23—High School vs. Sixteenth Canadian Scottish.

February 25—Jordan River vs. Onwegos.

Entries will close on February 1 for the following knockout competitions:

V.B.A. Shield—For men's "A" and "B" divisions.

Peetz Shield—For ladies' "A" and "B" divisions.

Bob Whyte Shield—For men's "C" and intermediate divisions.

Entry fee of $2 per team.

Going After Light-Heavyweight Crown

PETE LATZO

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J., Jan. 20.—Pete Latzo, former world's welterweight champion, who now lives in Margate City, has become a light-heavyweight.

Last Summer Pete weighed 147 pounds for his title bout with Joe Dundee, of Baltimore, and lost. He now tips the scales at 172 pounds.

"I'm going after the light-heavyweight crown now," he said.

U.S. Eliminated From Canadian Racquets

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—With the defeat of C. C. Pell, the singles titleholder, and Stanley Mortimer, of New York, the representatives of the United States were eliminated from the Canadian amateur racquets championships here today. Pell went down before the sterling play of P. W. Kemp-Walsh, of London, England, and Mortimer succumbed before Hon. C. N. Bruce, also of London, England. Both matches were won in straight sets.

With the elimination of G. Turpin, Montreal, by J. C. F. Simpson, holder of the British singles title, the semi-finals and the finals of the Canadian singles will be fought out tomorrow between the representatives of England.

Football Line-Ups

Esquimalt Juveniles will be selected from the following: De Costa, Anderson, Warder, Collings, N. Wallace, I. Wallace, McLears, Evans, Brien, Wright, Stewart, Hicks and Marsh.

Maple Leafs.—J. Baxter, J. Schoular, H. Pierce, F. Ruttan, E. Gaiger, J. Pauver, G. Smith, L. Winters, S. Bird, T. Mallett and MacGinnes.

James Bay Juveniles.—Hood, Davey, Margison, Fraser, Terry, Lorimer, Gelling, Gibson, Woodley, Cox, Smith, Brown and Preston.

Vancouver Island

COUNCIL HOLDS FIRST MEETING

MAYOR MUTTER ANNOUNCES COMMITTEES AT DUNCAN SESSION

Offer of King's Daughters' Hospital Accepted—Survey for Street Lights

DUNCAN, Jan. 20.—The first meeting of the Duncan City Council was held at the city hall last night.

Mayor Mutter announced the following standing committees for the coming year: Finance, Aldermen Marsh and Evans; streets, Aldermen Lee and Dickie; fire wardens, Aldermen Dickie and Lee; health and buildings, Alderman Marsh; distress, Mayor Mutter; council's representative on the hospital board, Mayor Mutter.

The offer of the King's Daughters' Hospital Board to accept a monthly payment of $125 in lieu of the seventy cents per day charge for city patients in that institution was accepted. This amount is the same as was accepted last year.

Alderman Evans will make a survey of the city and make a report at the next council meeting on the question of additional street lights.

COUNCIL SWORN IN AT NANAIMO

MAYOR BUSBY TAKES OATH OF OFFICE FOR EIGHTH TIME

Whole Board Returned by Acclamation, Congratulated by Officiating Magistrate

NANAIMO, Jan. 20.—The Mayor and City Council for 1928, all of whom were returned by acclamation at the recent municipal elections, were sworn into office last night by Stipendiary Magistrate C. H. Beevor Potts.

Mayor F. H. Busby was the first to take the oath, it being the eighth time he has, during the course of his municipal activities, sworn to do duty as Mayor of Nanaimo. Following his induction the aldermen were sworn in by pairs as follows: South Ward, Alderman T. Smith (fifth term), Alderman George Covalsky (fourteenth term); Middle Ward, Alderman James Renney (second term), Alderman J. Barsby (sixth term); North Ward, Alderman William Hart (fourth term), Alderman M. C. Ironside (third term).

The board was congratulated individually and collectively by the magistrate, who, in turn, was thanked by Mayor Busby for his services during the past years in swearing in the various councils, and also for his willingness displayed throughout the past year to do everything in his power to aid the council in any way in which he could.

Mayor Busby then extended his congratulations to the aldermen upon their election for what had proved to be a two-year term. Personally, he had, he said, never seen a council work more harmoniously or accomplish better work, all things considered, than had the council of 1927. He had appointed the same committees to carry on their work, as he felt that he could not improve upon any of them by changes.

Regarding the street work for 1928, His Worship hoped to see a policy of permanent work adopted. He hoped that at least several streets would be properly graded and surfaced. A garbage system was bady needed, and this fact had been recognized by various councils for years, but the same conditions obtain now as previously; lack of money prevented a proper system being installed. Concluding his remarks, Mayor Busby stated that he felt sure that at the end of 1928, the council would again face the ratepayers with the feeling and knowledge that "we have again done our best."

Egg-Laying Contest

YEAR 5—REPORT FOR WEEK NO. 11, ENDING JANUARY 16, 1928

Conducted by the Dominion Experimental Station, Sidney, B.C.

Pen	Name	Breed	Week Eggs	Tl. Eggs	Tl. Pts.
1	Chaplin & Oswald	B.R.	35	251	236.1
2	Ex. Farm, Agassiz	B.R.	41	270	264.1
3	C. G. Golding	B.R.	21	241	227.9
4	M. S. Stephens	B.R.	28	300	270.4
5	J. Burgess	R.I.R.	49	551	*521.6
6	Cooke & Mercer	R.I.R.	7	192	204.3
7	O. G. Hunt	R.I.R.	32	356	401.5
8	H. G. Scott	R.I.R.	22	318	341.7
9	H. H. B. Cunningham	W.W.	40	272	218.0
10	Ex. Sta. Sidney	W.W.	25	279	207.6
11	H. A. Gilroy	W.W.	30	254	208.2
12	R. B. Jeffrey	W.W.	27	492	443.8
13	W. A. R. Paul	W.W.	37	433	428.1
14	J. Roade	W.W.	30	276	267.7
15	A. Adams	W.L.	14	177	140.1
16	R. E. Ault	W.L.	14	357	306.8
17	Bains & O'Farrell	W.L.	30	302	286.2
18	T. Barclay	W.L.	20	261	192.8
19	W. Bradley	W.L.	41	336	160.0
20	J. C. Butterfield	W.L.	18	214	188.9
21	W. L. Douglas	W.L.	17	158	164.1
22	Westwood Poultry Farm	W.L.	24	213	179.4
23	D. Edwards	W.L.	17	223	206.5
24	A. Geerason	W.L.	35	310	248.7
25	W. J. Gunn	W.L.	12	157	137.7
26	E. Gwynne	W.L.	35	271	231.9
27	A. V. Lane	W.L.	26	236	205.2
28	R. Mackenzie	W.L.	16	240	187.6
29	A. D. McLean	W.L.	35	192	157.7
30	F. R. Nicholls	W.L.	14	102	94.9
31	N. E. Plaston	W.L.	17	105	89.6
32	W. Robbins	W.L.	25	244	223.2
33	J. Smyth	W.L.	23	250	232.7
34	R. W. Tull	W.L.	28	240	220.7
			928	9373	8451.5

*Leading pen. Week's production, 29%.

Remarks—Please address all correspondence to the Superintendent, Experimental Station, Saanichton, B.C.

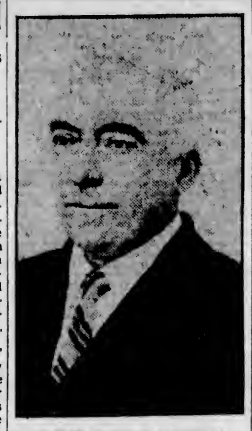
Colwood Arranges For Old-Time Dance

COLWOOD, Jan. 20.—An old-time practice dance was held in the hall on Thursday evening and arrangements made for an old-time dance to be held on February 29, in the Colwood Hall.

DANCE AT COLWOOD

COLWOOD, Jan. 20.—A concert and dance, under the auspices of the Canadian Legion, King Edward Branch, No. 91, will be held in the Colwood Hall early in February.

Presides Over Initial Council Meeting



MAYOR J. ISLAY MUTTER

Of Duncan, who announced his standing committees for the coming year at the first session of the City Council on Thursday

Shawnigan Badminton

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, Jan. 20.—On Wednesday afternoon the newly formed Badminton Club met in the S.L.A.A. Hall for the first time this year. A committee composed of Mr. and Mrs. Gooch, Col. Eardley-Wilmot, Miss P. Furlonge and Mrs. Beeson was elected, Mrs. Beeson to act as secretary. A very pleasant afternoon was spent playing badminton and bridge. Mrs. Oldham and Mrs. Beeson served tea.

START SESSIONS AT N. COWICHAN

COUNCIL GETS DOWN TO BUSINESS AT YEAR'S FIRST MEETING

Municipal Road Loan By-Law Adopted—Petition Received From Workmen

DUNCAN, Jan. 20.—The North Cowichan Council held its first meeting for 1928 at the Municipal Hall, Duncan, yesterday afternoon.

The Municipal Roads Loan By-Law, which was approved by the electors at the recent election, was put through its final reading and adopted.

The offer of the King's Daughters' Hospital Board to accept $2,000 in lieu of seventy cents per day for each municipal inmate, was accepted.

A petition from workmen on the municipal roads staff was received, and after some discussion was laid over till the next meeting. They asked that work cease at noon on Saturdays in future; that payment of wages should be made every two weeks, and that the wage scale be increased as follows: Truck drivers from $4 per day to $4.50; foremen from $4.25 to $4.50; laborers from $3.50 to $4; tractor drivers to remain at $5, and casual laborers at $3.50. The permanent staff of road workers were placed under the Government's scheme of superannuation at the December meeting. The petition met with some caustic comment at the Council meeting, and one councillor suggested that the revision of rates of pay should be downward. Some interesting discussion of the whole subject is expected at the next meeting.

The Council passed a resolution to the following effect: "That an appeal by the Council be entered at the Court of Revision against the raising of assessments on properties adjoining the tarviated roads."

The following are the standing committees for the year: Finance, Councillors Fox and Price; roads and bridges, the whole Council; cemetery board, Coates and Paull. Councillor Price was appointed to represent the Council on the board of directors of the Chemainus Hospital.

MAYOR S. JONES

of Ladysmith, who is now serving his third term in office.

SERVICE AT COLWOOD

COLWOOD, Jan. 20. — Service will be held in St. John's Church, Colwood, on Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock.

Up-Island Football Officials Chosen

NANAIMO, Jan. 20.—The Up-Island Football Association met last evening with President P. Piper in the chair. Vice-President Cronk, Secretary Callin (pro tem.) and Councillor Thorneycroft were present, and the meeting appointed R. Nicholl councillor, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Charles Bell. The position of secretary was permanently conferred upon Callin, the latter's place as councillor being taken by Wm. Patterson, of Ladysmith.

It was brought to the attention of the Board that the Nanaimo City football team had not yet received their medals in connection with the winning of the Provincial Cup last season and the secretary will at once take the matter up with the B.C.F.A. officials, and inquire into the reason for the delay.

The closing dates of entries for the Davenport Shield and the Brackman-Ker Cup competitions were set at January 28, after which the board will make the draw for the games.

Regina Wins One In Fourteen Starts

REGINA, Jan. 20.—When the Regina Caps lost to the Saskatoon Sheiks, 3-2, here tonight in a Prairie League pro hockey match, they hung up a record for the first half of the season of one win in fourteen starts.

Walker Wins Suit

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—A $25,000 breach of contract action against Mickey Walker, middleweight boxing champion, was dismissed yesterday in supreme court on technical grounds. Justice Mullen held that Stadium Pictures, Inc., the plaintiff, which let out the contract for Walker's services to another company, should have sued for the amount it would have made if the fighter had made the twelve pictures the contract called for. Instead, the company sued for losses sustained by letting out the contract.

Walker testified he had refused to make the pictures after Benny Leonard, former lightweight champion, had told him the Stadium company had failed to pay him on a similar contract.

Forts Down Brandon

BRANDON, Man., Jan. 20.—The Forts of Fort William, achieved another victory in the Interprovincial Hockey League last night, when they defeated Brandon Wheat Kings, 3 to 1. A rally in the third stanza broke up a one-all tie and gave the visitors the game.

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POLICE CHECK SPEED FIENDS

INSPECTOR J. T. BOULTON SEEKS THREE MORE MEN FOR TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT

Members of Traffic Squad Make Application for Increase in Pay—Police Board Hears Report

The curbing of speeders and reckless drivers outside the business district has received the special attention of the motorcycle constables during the past year, Traffic Inspector John T. Boulton told members of the police commission this week at their meeting, in tendering the first annual report of the traffic department.

Inspector Boulton stated that it has been impossible to eliminate all accidents or catch all reckless drivers, and considering the large area covered, the work of the motorcycle constables had been limited. To reduce such speeding and reckless driving was not altogether a question of regulations or education, but of having sufficient men adequately to control traffic throughout the city.

The inspector stated that it had been proved that reckless driving and accidents of a serious nature occur chiefly in the evening or early morning, when motorists are more or less bent on pleasure or exuberantly returning from parties.

RECOMMENDATIONS MADE

"I would therefore suggest that two more men (and two motorcycles with sidecars) be added to the motorcycle branch, as this would allow two motorcycle constables always to be on duty in the evening and early mornings. One of these would take the place of Motorcycle Constable Wells, who was the unfortunate victim of the reckless driving of a motor vehicle," he said.

The constables detailed for duty in the business area have given special attention to the facilitating of the free movement of traffic, the parking of vehicles, and the regulation of traffic at the Canadian Pacific Railway wharf, Belleville Street. One constable's time is, for the greater portion, taken up in attending to the boat, train and market traffic. Inspector Boulton suggested that one more constable be provided for this branch, as this would allow one man to devote his time to the boat, train and market traffic, and also the supervision of all vehicles carrying passengers for hire or freight, or baggage.

Inspector Boulton made application, on behalf of the members of the traffic squad, for an increase in pay commensurate with the salaries paid to police traffic men of the other Coast cities.

IRON WORKS SOLD

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—W. M. Tompkins, Coast representative of the Continental Can Company, announced here yesterday that the company will purchase the Seattle-Astoria Iron Works at Seattle, Wash., on January 31. The price was kept secret, except for the statement that the consideration is more than $1,000,000.

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Radio Broadcastings

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Saturday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—8 a.m., The morning market quotations direct from the B.C. Bond Corporation. 6.30 p.m., What's doing in town. 7.10, The closing market quotations by the B.C. Bond Corporation; weather reports and forecast; time signal by Wilkerson, jeweler; West Coast Information Service and the news. 8.30, Dr. E. Hall will speak.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—6-9 p.m., R.C.A. hour. The music to be presented during this hour includes both the classical and the popular. This programme will be broadcast over KHQ, KOMO, KFOA, KGW, KGO, KPO, KFI. 9-10, Philco hour. The N.B.C. Pacific Coast Network radio audience will be offered the Philco Hour, weekly feature sponsored by the Philadelphia Storage Battery Co. tonight from 9 to 10 o'clock. This evening's variety programme opens with the orchestra's heavy field pieces playing Sousa's stirring "National Emblem" March, which sustains the spirit of the introductory Artillery Song already very familiar to listeners. Then follows Verdi's "Celeste Aida," made famous by the immortal Caruso. This and the following number, "A. Vucchella," are presented by the Philco tenor, Harold Spaulding. Among other outstanding numbers to be heard during the hour are the "Children's Toy Symphony," a novelty descriptive of Haydn, and "Gypsy Baron," by the famous German waltz king, Johann Strauss. The dance people have not been overlooked, and in the three numbers, "Broken Hearted," "Barbara," and "Sometimes I'm Happy," this part of the programme is well represented. This programme will be broadcast from stations KHQ, KOMO, KFOA, KGW, KGO, KPO and KFI 10 p.m.-12 midnight. The Trocaderans will feature the N.B.C. eleven-piece dance orchestra. The Trocaderans, playing late song and dance hits with new special arrangements. There will be in addition between groups of three numbers vocal and instrumental solos, pianologues, and several surprise features. This programme will be broadcast by KGW and KPO the entire two hours from 10 p.m. to 12 midnight, and by KFOA and KGO from 10 to 11 p.m. only.

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. (454.3m)—4.30-5.15 p.m., Organ recital. 5.15-5.30, News items. 5.30-6.20, Mac and his Gang. 6.20-6.30, Stage, screen, police reports. 6.30-7.30, The Cecilians. 8-9, Studio programme. 9-10, Dance Orchestra of the Balconades Ballroom. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, KFRC Dance Orchestra.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (241.8m)—2.30-3.10 p.m., Long Beach Municipal Band. 3.10-3.20, Announcements. 3.20-4, Long Beach Municipal Band. 4-4.30, Late news bulletins and sport events. 4.30-6, Piggly Wiggly Concert Orchestra. 6-6.15, Doris and Clarence. 6.15-7, Piggly Wiggly Concert Orchestra. 7-8, "Piggly Wiggly Hawaiian Trio." 8-8.10, Long Beach Municipal Band. 9-10, Pacific Coast Club Orchestra. 10-11, Piggly Wiggly Masterpiece programme. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Majestic Dance Orchestra.

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. (337m)—4.15 p.m., Lost and Found announcements. 4.25, Market reports. 5, Chet Mittendorf. 5.45, Town Crier's tips. 6, Biltmore Hotel Orchestra. 6.30, Dinner concert. 6.45, Gene Leonard. 7, Playgoers' Club. 7.30, Announcement of Sunday services. 8, Feature programme. 10, Hotel Ambassador Cocoanut Grove Orchestra. 11, Biltmore Hotel Orchestra. 12 midnight, The Midnight Express.

KFWI, San Francisco, Cal. (267.7m)—5-5.30 p.m., Brunswick concert. 5.30-6, Advance construction reports. 6-7, Dinner hour programme. 8-9, Gypsy Trio. 9-10, Dance music. 10-10.03, Police reports. 10.03 p.m.-12.30 a.m., KFWI surprise reception.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (416.4m)—5-6 p.m., Sunset musical. 6-6.45, Orthophonic and Knabe Ampico programme. 6.45-7, World wide news. 7-8, Weekly meeting of KHJ Movie Club. 8-9, Featuring Ray Canfield and his Steel Ensemble. 9-10, KHJ Melody Masters. 10-11, Merry Makers' hour.

KEX, Portland, Ore. (239.9m)—4-5 p.m., Duo-Art concert. 5-6, Novelty recording concert. 6-6.20, News, sports, announcements. 6.20-6.30, Livestock news and shippers' advice. 6.30-7, Studio programme. 7-8, Herman Kenin's Orchestra. 8-8.45, Good citizenship programme. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance frolic.

KQW, San Jose, Cal. (296.9m)—6.45-7 p.m., Farmers' exchange. 7-7.05, Weather and markets. 7.05-7.20, News dispatches. 7.20-7.30, Special announcements.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (422.3m)—4-5 p.m., KPO Concert Orchestra. 5-6, Children's hour by Big Brother. 6-6.30, Ye Towne Cryer service. 6.30-7.30, KPO Dance Orchestra. 8 p.m.-12 midnight, N.B.C. programme.

KFWO, Avalon, Cal. (299.8m)—12.30-2 p.m., Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra. 6.30-8, Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (468.5m)—5.30 p.m., Strangers' Social Club Orchestra. 6.15, Radiotorial period. 6.30, Jack Farrell and his orchestra. 7.30, Felipe Delgado, Spanish baritone. 8, N.B.C. programme. 8, Packard programme. 10, Packard programme. 11, KFI Midnite Frolic.

KOIN, Portland, Ore. (319.0m)—5.15-6.15 p.m., Topsy-Turvy Time Club for children. 6-7, Dinner concert. 7-7.15, Amusements puzzle word contest. 7.15-8, Benson Hotel Orchestra. 11 p.m.-1 a.m., Webfoot Merrymakers' frolic.

KPLA, Los Angeles, Cal. (252m)—4-4.30 p.m., Records. 4.30-5, The Air Castle. 5-6, Sundown Frolic. 6-7, Programme featuring the White King Quartette. 7-8, Studio programme. 8-8, Carfaane String Quartette. 9-10, Dare Sisters and Dick Giblin. 10-11, Palais de Dance.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (280.2m)—4-5 p.m., From Grandfather's Clock. 5-6.45, "Who's Who" hour. 6.45-7.30, Shopping hour. 8-9, Lecture from Mills College.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491m)—6-7 p.m., Dinner concert. 7-8, Concert from KOMO. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Philco Hour over N.B.C. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, N.B.C. Dance Orchestra.

KOA, Denver, Colo. (325.9m)—8-10 p.m., Chief Gonzales and his Arabian Room Orchestra, broadcasting from the Cosmopolitan Hotel, Denver.

KLX, Oakland, Cal. (508m)—10-11.30 a.m., Martha Lee home economics hour, music. 11.30 a.m.-1 p.m., Ira Powell's Hawaiians. 7-7.30, News broadcast.

KVI, Tacoma, Wash. (234.2m)—7.57 a.m., National Anthem. 8, Inspirational services. 8.15, Health exercises. 8.30, Health talk by P. E. McCoy. 8.40, Breakfast hour music. 9, News. 9.15, Homemaker chats. 9.45, Aloha Oe. 3, Chamber music. 3.30, Varied music. 4, Popular music. 4.30-5, Tea hour. 6.30, Dinner hour concert. 7.15, Studio programme. 8-9, Helen Storts.

KTBR, Portland, Ore. (282.8m)—1-3 p.m., Semi-classical programme. 6-6.50, Dinner concert. 6.50-7, Road reports and announcements. 8-9, Dance music.

KFWM, Oakland, Cal. (236.1m)—8-10 p.m., Organ solo.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (417.5m)—3.15-4 p.m., Organ recital. 4.30-5, News items, weather report. 6-6.15, Sport review. 7-7.30, Boy Scout programme. 7.30-8, Camp Fire Girls' programme. 8-11, N.B.C. programme.

KYA, San Francisco, Cal. (309.1m)—5.30-7 p.m., The Golden Gate Cryer. 7-7.15, Talk by Al Baum. 8-8, Operatic programme. 8-10, Novelty programme. 10 p.m.-1 a.m., The Goofy Bird Frolic.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (306m)—4-5 p.m., Fred Lynch, tenor; Totem Concert Orchestra. 5.15-5.45, Kiddies' programme. 5.45-6, Stock and bond quotations. 6-6.15, News flashes and sports. 6.15-6.45, Totem Concert Orchestra. 6.45-7, Sydney Dixon, tenor. 7-8, Joint broadcast with KGW, Totem Concert Orchestra. 9-11, N.B.C. programme. 11-11.15, Late news flashes. 11.15 p.m.-12.30 a.m., Olympic Hotel Dance Orchestra.

KJBS, San Francisco, Cal. (220m)—9 a.m.-12 noon, Instrumental vocal selections. 1.30-7.30 p.m., Instrumental and vocal selections.

KFUS, Oakland, Cal. (256.3m)—9-9.40 a.m., Early morning worship hour. 8-9 p.m., Studio programme.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (381.4m)—6-6.50 p.m., Dinner concert. 6.50-7, Weather and news. 7-7.15, "A Chat About New Books." 7.15-7.30, Weekly sport review. 8-9, RCA hour over N.B.C. 9-10, Philco hour over N.B.C. 10-11, N.B.C. programme. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Frank Ellis and his Hotel St. Francis Dance Orchestra.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (370.2m)—2-3 p.m., Battery service programme. 3-4, Kolster Radio programme. 4-5, Bailey's hour of music. 5-6, Service hour. 6-7.15, Davenport Hotel Concert Orchestra. 7.15-7.30, Ben Cohn's daily travelogue. 8-10, N.B.C. programme. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance music. 12 midnight, Chimes.

KVOS, Bellingham, Wash. (209.7m)—4-5 p.m., Radio dealers' broadcast. 6-7, Shopping tour. 7.30-8, Kiddies' programme. 8-9, Classical, instrumental and vocal numbers. 9-10, Gloom Chasers' Orchestra.

Sunday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—11 a.m., Morning service of Christ Church Cathedral. 4 p.m., Christadelphian Church of Victoria. 7.30, Evening service of Christ Church Cathedral.

KFWI, San Francisco (267.7m)—7.50-9 p.m., Services from Eighth Church of Christ, Scientist. 9-10, Associated artists. 10-11, Roof Garden Orchestra.

KHJ, Los Angeles (416.4m)—9.30-10.30 a.m., Sunday concert. 10.30 a.m.-12.30 p.m., First M.E. Church services. 12.30-2, Viennese Quintette. 4-5, Matinee Melody Masters. 5-6, Sunset musical. 6-6.15, Nightly doings. 6.15-6.45, Panatrope programme. 6.45-7, World-wide news. 7-8, First M.E. Church services. 9-10, KHJ Little Symphony.

KPLA, Los Angeles (252m)—7.30-9 p.m., Art lecture. 8-10, KPLA Orchestra.

KVI, Tacoma (234.2m)—11 a.m.-12.30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church; 7.30-9, First Presbyterian Church.

KVOS, Bellingham, Wash. (209.7m)—6-6.30 p.m., Zither solos. 6.30-7.05, I.B.S.A. 7.05-7.30, First Congregational Church. 7.30-8, Kiddies' programme. 8-9, Programme featuring advanced pupils. 9-10, Studio programme.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (241.8m)—9.30-11 a.m., Organ recital, Dick Dixon. 11 a.m.-12.30 p.m., Second Church of Christ, Scientist. 12.30-1.30, Musical programme. 1.30-2.30, Organ recital, Herbert Nixon. 2.30-3.10, Long Beach Municipal Band. 3.10-3.20, Announcements. 3.20-4, Long Beach Municipal Band. 4-4.30, Studio programme. 4.30-6, Piggly Wiggly Concert Orchestra. 6-7, Pacific Coast Club Orchestra. 7-7.45, Barkey's Mandolin Orchestra and "The Eskimo Twins." 7.45-9, First Church of Christ. 9 p.m.-1 a.m., Piggly Wiggly "All Star Nite."

KFRC, San Francisco (454.3m)—3-4 p.m., KFRC Dance Orchestra. 4-5, Studio programme. 5-6, Organ recital. 6-6.30, Inspirational talk. 6.30-7.30, Hotel Mark Hopkins Concert Orchestra. 7.30-8.30, Cadillac-La Salle Orchestra. 8.30-11, Balconades Ballroom Orchestra. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, KFRC Dance Orchestra.

KEX, Portland, Ore. (239.9m)—4.20-5 p.m., Lucien Becker's half hour of music. 5-6, Studio programme. 6-7.30, Multnomah Hotel Orchestra. 7.30-8.30, Mount Tabor Presbyterian Church service. 8.30-9, Studio programme. 9-10, I.B.S.A. 10, Time signals and weather reports.

KOA, Denver, Col. (325.9m)—10 a.m., Service of First Congregational Church. 4.30, Organ recital. 5.30, Brown Palace Hotel dinner concert. 6.45, Service of the First Congregational Church.

KQW, San Jose (296.9m)—10.15 a.m.-12.30 p.m., Services First Baptist Church. 2-3, Special Sunday concert. 3-4, Musical hour. 7.30-9.30, Services First Baptist Church.

KGA, Spokane, Wash. (260.7m)—11 a.m.-12.30 p.m., First Presbyterian Church. 12.30-1, Musical programme. 1-1.30, Lecture by Guy P. Langton. 7.30-9, First Presbyterian Church.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (280.2m)—9.45-10.45 a.m., Prof. E. G. Linsley's Bible Class. 11, Services of Tenth Avenue Baptist Church. 1.30-3.30 p.m., KTAB's symphonic hour. 7-7.45, Vesper service. 7.45, Services of Tenth Avenue Baptist Church.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491m)—8.30-8.15 a.m., "Aunty Blossom" reading Sunday comic strips. 11 a.m.-12 noon, Services from St. Stephen's Pro Cathedral. 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 5-5.30, Concert. 5.30-6.30, Studio programme. 6.20-7.30, N.B.C. programme. 7.30-8, The Two Steinway Artists. 8-10, Concert. 10-11, Little Symphony Orchestra.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—1-2 p.m., Golden Strand Group. This programme by the American Wire Fabrics Corporation features a large orchestra playing mostly semi-classical and lighter numbers. Dorothy Talbot, coloratura soprano, and Myron Neisley, tenor, are the vocal soloists heard during the hour. This programme will be broadcast from KOMO, KFOA, KGO, KPO, KFI. 3-5, Sunday afternoon concert. The first hour and a half features a varied musical programme. 4.30-5 will feature another "Great Moment in History" radio drama. The title of this afternoon's presentation is "Robert E. Lee." This programme will be broadcast from stations KHQ, KOMO, KFOA, KGW, KFI, between the hours of 3 to 4.30 and from KGO, Oakland, from 3 to 4. 6.30-7.30, Standard Symphony Hour.

KYA, San Francisco (309.1m)—11 a.m.-12.30 p.m., Central Methodist Church services. 7.30-9, Central Methodist Church services.

KFWO, Avalon, Cal. (299.8m)—12.30-2 p.m., Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra. 5-6, Miss Hewitt's Golden Hour. 6-6.30, Riviera Theatre organ. 6.30-8, Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra. 8.15-9.15, Hotel St. Catherine lobby concert.

KRE, Berkeley, Cal. (256.3m)—11 a.m., Church service.

KHBR, Portland, Ore. (282.8m)—10.30 a.m.-12 noon, First Presbyterian Church. 1-3 p.m., Semi-classical programme. 3-5, Symphony Orchestra concert. 5-6.30, Varied musical programme. 7.30-9, First Presbyterian Church services.

KFSD, San Diego, Cal. (440.9m)—11.15 a.m.-12.15 p.m., Services First Unitarian Church. 2-2, Services International Bible Students. 3-4, Services Theosophical Society. 9.15-10, Concert programme.

KPO, San Francisco (422.3m)—9.45-10.45 a.m., Undenominational and non-sectarian church services. 1-2 p.m., NBC programme. 3-4, N.B.C. programme. 4-5.30, Programme by KPO Mixed Quartette. 5.30-6.30, Studio programme. 6.30-7.30, N.B.C. programme. 7.30-8, Organ recital. 8.30-10, Rudy Seiger's Fairmont Hotel Concert Orchestra.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (370.2m)—10.30-11 a.m., Children's Sunday school programme. 11 a.m.-12.30 p.m., Central M.E. Church. 1-2, Happy hour. 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 6.30-7.30, N.B.C. programme. 7.30-8, Church of Truth. 8-8.30, N.B.C. programme. 9.30-10.30, I.B.S.A. programme.

KFWM, Oakland, Cal. (236.1m)—9.30-10 a.m., I.B.S.A. children's radio programme. 10-11, I.B.S.A., Oakland programme. 12.30-1 p.m., Organ recital. 1-2.30, I.B.S.A., San Francisco programme. 7.30-8, Musical Programme. 8-8.30, Bible lecture, "The Great Hereafter." 8.30-9, Bible trialogue.

KFUS, Oakland, Cal. (256.3m)—8 a.m., Exposition of the International Sunday School lesson. 7.45 p.m., Service of Elmhurst Full Gospel Church.

KLS, Oakland, Cal. (245.8m)—10-11 a.m., Radio Church of America.

KJBS, San Francisco (220m)—1.20-2.30 p.m., Semi-classical music. 3.30-5, Dance music.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (384.4m)—11 a.m., First M.E. Church service. 1-2 p.m., N.B.C. programme. 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 6.30-7.30, N.B.C. programme. 7.35-9, First M.E. Church service.

KOMO, Seattle (306m)—10-11 a.m., Programme of the Bethel Temple. 11 a.m.-12.20 p.m., Plymouth Congregational Church. 12.30-1, Totem Male Quartette; orchestra. 1-2, N.B.C. programme. 2-3, Programme by Everson Tabernacle. 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 5-5.30, West Coast Theatres Orchestra. 5.30-6.30, Studio programme. 7.30-8, Fisher Mills Co. Orchestra. 8-9, First Church of Christ, Scientist. 9-11, Orchestra.

KFOA, Seattle (447.5m)—1-2 p.m., N.B.C. programme. 3-5, N.B.C. programme. 6.30-7.20, N.B.C. programme.

KJR, Seattle (348.6m)—8-10 a.m., Sacred concert. 10-11, International Bible Students' Association. 11 a.m.-12.30 p.m., First M.E. Church. 12.30-4, Studio programme. 4-5, Elijah Voice Society. 5-6.15, Studio programme. 6.15-7.15, International Bible Students' Association. 7.15-7.30, Organ recital. 7.30-8, First M.E. Church.

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—8 a.m., The morning market quotations direct from the B.C. Bond Corporation. 6.30 p.m., What's doing in town. 7.10, The closing market quotations by the B.C. Bond Corporation; weather reports and forecast; time signal by Wilkerson, jeweler; West Coast Information Service and the news. 11, Organ recital from the Capitol Theatre by courtesy of The Colonist.

KPLA, Los Angeles, Cal. (252m)—4-4.03 p.m., Health bulletin, Dr. G. Parrish. 4.03-4.30, Records. 4.30-5, Air Castle. 5-5.30, Spanish course. 5-6, Sundown frolic. 6-7, Wesley Lord at the pipe organ. 5.30-6, Sundown frolic. 7-8, Nunes Trio. LeRoy Kullberg. 8-9, Ida Schutz, soprano. 9-10, Hal Chasnoff String Ensemble and Red Wyatt. 10-11, Palais de Dance.

KGA, Spokane, Wash. (260.7m)—3-3.30 p.m., Duo-Art programme. 3.30-5, Musical programme. 5-5.30, Duo-Art programme. 5.30-6, Kiddies' programme. 6-6.30, Weather, news items, service talks. 6.30-7.30, Dinner hour concert. 7.30-10, Studio programme. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, Music.

KVOS, Bellingham, Wash. (209.7m)—4-5 p.m., Radio dealers' broadcast. 6-7, Shopping tour. 7-7.30, Programme featuring Frank Gottschauk. 7.30-8, Kiddies' programme. 8-9, Classical instrumental and vocal numbers. 8-10, Gloom Killers' hour.

KTBR, Portland, Ore. (282.8m)—1-2 p.m., Semi-classical programme. 2-3, Popular programme. 6-6.50, Dinner concert. 6.50-7, Road reports and announcements. 8-9, Varied programme.

KFUS, Oakland, Cal. (256.3m)—9-9.40 a.m., Early morning worship hour; Rev. J. W. Parr.

KFWI, San Francisco, Cal. (267.7m)—5-5.30 p.m., Brunswick "New Hall of Fame" concert. 5.30-6, Advance construction. 6-6.30, Max Larnar, singer of popular songs. 6.30-7, Harry Rose, singer of "Sad and Silly Songs." 7-7.15, Sports review. 7.15-7.30, Advertising talk. 8-8.30, Darnellle Sisters. 8.30-9, Suzanne Cole, violinist; Glenhall Taylor, accompanist. 9-10, Val Valente and his Weird Jungle Jazz from Jungle Land. 10-10.03, Police reports. 10.03-11, Dance music.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (416.4m)—4-4.15 p.m., Talk by C. W. H. Smith. 4.15-4.30, Sheriff's office talk. 4.30-5, Marye Shannon Harrington, lecturer. 5-6, Sunset musical. 6-6.15, Nightly doings. 6.15-6.45, Panatrope and Ampico programme. 6.45-7, World wide news. 7-8, KHJ Concert Orchestra. 8-9, Ray Canfield's Singing Steel Band. 9-10, Operetta, "The Mascot." 10-11 p.m., Beverly Bearcats and Ray & Jim.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (447.5m)—3.15-4 p.m., Rhodes organ recital. 4.30-5, News items, weather report. 5-6, Big Brother's children's programme. 6-6.30, Sperry Flour radio hour. 6.30-7.15, Studio programme. 7.15-7.30, Industrial news. 7.30-7.45, Better Flowers talk. 7.45-8, Sport review. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Maxwell House Coffee Orchestra. 10-11, N.B.C. programme.

KJBS, San Francisco, Cal. (220m)—9 a.m.-12 noon, Instrumental and vocal selections. 1.30-3 p.m., Instrumental and vocal selections. 3-4, Letterman Hospital programme. 4-7.30, Instrumental and vocal selections. 8-10, Dance music.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (306m)—4-4.45 p.m., Totem Concert Orchestra. 5-5.05, Health talk. 5.05-5.30, Kiddies' programme. 5.30-5.45, Stock and grain quotations. 5.45-6.30, "Crops and Soils"; Totem Concert Orchestra. 6.30-8, Totem Concert Orchestra. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 8-10, Totem Concert Orchestra. 10-11, N.B.C. programme. 11 p.m.-12.30 a.m., Late news flashes; Totem Concert Orchestra.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (291m)—10-11 a.m., Hour of music. 10-11 p.m., CNRV Salon Quartette.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (280.2m)—4-5 p.m., From Grandfather's Clock. 5-6.45, "Who's Who" hour. 6.45-7.30, Shopping hour. 8-10, The Weavers present "Nirvana."

KEX, Portland, Ore. (239.9m)—4-5 p.m., Sherman, Clay Duo-Art concert. 5-5.30, Novelty recording concert. 5.30-6, Rose Theatre programme. 6-6.20, News, sports, announcements. 6.20-6.30, Livestock news and shippers' advice. 6.30-7, Children's hour, Grandpa Bulger. 7-8, Herman Kenin's Multnomah Hotel Orchestra. 8-10, Studio programme. 10, Time signals, weather reports. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, Monday night review.

KHQ, Spokane, Wash. (370.2m)—4-5 p.m., Bailey's "Victor Hour." 5-6, Service hour, stocks, sports, news. 6-6.30, Davenport Hotel Orchestra. 6.30-8, Organ concert. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Maxwell House Concert Orchestra.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491m)—6-7 p.m., Dinner concert. 7-7.30, Edwards' Dependable Coffee demi tasse programme. 7.30-7.45, Talk, "Better Flowers." 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 8-10, Concert by Maxwell House Coffee Orchestra and soloists. 10-11, N.B.C. programme.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (384.4m)—4-5 p.m., Frank Ellis and his Hotel St. Francis Dance Orchestra. 5.30-6, Aunt Betty (Ruth Thompson) stories. 6-6.45, Kohler and Chase dinner concert. 6.45, "What's Happening in the World." 7.05, Weather, S.F. produce, grain, cotton, S.F. stocks, N.Y. stocks. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, "The Pilgrims" in Spain; Spanish Folk Songs, "Teresita Mia," "Me Gustan Todos." 10-11, N.B.C. programme.

KYA, San Francisco, Cal. (309.1m)—5-5.30 p.m., Air circus. 5.30-7, Golden Gate Cryer. 7-7.30, Dr. Frederick W. Clampett. 8-9, Programme presenting Leo Cooper. 9-10, Popular programme.

KVI, Tacoma, Wash. (234.2m)—8 a.m., National Anthem; health exercises. 8.30, Health talk by P. E. McCoy. 8.40, Breakfast hour music. 9, News. 9.15, Homemaker chats; breakfast nook philosophy. 3 p.m., Chamber music. 3.30, Varied music. 4, Popular music. 4.30-5, Tea hour. 6-7, Dinner concert.

KLX, Oakland, Cal. (508m)—5.30-6.30 p.m., Brother Bob's Club; Boy Scout programme. 6.30-7, Dinner concert. 7-7.30, News broadcast. 8-9, Special programme. 9-10, Weekly meeting of Lake Merritt Ducks.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—6-9 p.m., Rudy Seiger's Shell Symphonists will be heard over the N.B.C. Pacific Coast Network in another exceptional programme tonight in the hour beginning at eight o'clock. This weekly presentation is sponsored by the Shell Oil Co. of California. The opening selection is the "Intermezzo" from Mascagni's opera "Cavalleria Rusticana" which is followed by selections from Leoncavallo's opera "Pagliacci." Other outstanding numbers on the programme are "Southern Roses," a waltz from "The Queen's Lace Handkerchief" and "Ama-[illegible]a," written by James M. Lascelle and first popularized by Tito Schippa. The feature of the hour will be two violin solos played by Rudy Seiger in answer to a request from Charles Dickman, the famous Western landscape painter, many of whose paintings adorn the walls of Rudy Seiger's apartment. The pieces, "The Old Refrain" and "Liebesfreud," are both by Fritz Kreisler, and were immortalized by him. A request telephoned from Tacoma, Washington, brings listeners Ketelbey's "In a Persian Market," a description of a royal procession through the market place of an Oriental city. Bringing the broadcast to a conclusion the orchestra offers selections from Schubert's song melodies, including "Erl-King," "Ave Maria," "Serenade," and "Hark! Hark! the Lark!" This programme will be broadcast over the entire network, including KHQ, KOMO, KFOA, KGW, KGO, KPO, KFI. 10-11, Los Angeles Studio programme.

KFSD, San Diego, California (440.9m)—10-11 a.m., Amy Lou shopping hour. 12.30-1 p.m., Carr Bros. Orchestra. 5.45-6, Late news items and sports. 6-7, Musical review. 7-8, Bosch Radio Orchestra. 8-9, Studio programme. 9-10, Musical programme. 10-11, Carr Bros. Orchestra.

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. (454.3m)—4.30-5 p.m., Organ recital. 5-5.15, News items: Lost and Found. 5.15-5.45, Mac and his Gang. 5.45-6.20, Joe Mendel and his Pep Band from Lido Cafe. 6.20-6.30, Stage, screen, police reports. 6.30-7, Sports talk by "Bobs." 7-7.30, The Hawaiians. 8-10, Blue Monday Jamboree. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, KFRC Dance Orchestra.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (348.6m)—4.45-5 p.m., Book Chat, Dr. E. A. Schilling. 5-5.30, Junior hour. 5.30-5.45, Studio programme. 5.45-6, Stock quotations. 6-6.30, Sports, news items. 6.30-7.30, Vic Meyers Dinner Concert. 7.30-8.30, Varied programme. 8.30-9.30, Seattle Pacific College. 9.30-10.30, Nick Carter and his Carolinians. 10.30 p.m.-12.30 a.m., "Goofy Bird" frolic.

KWTC, Santa Ana, Cal. (222.1m)—5.30-7 p.m., Dinner hour programme.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (422.3m)—4-5 p.m., Studio programme. 5-6, Children's hour by Big Brother. 6-6.30, Ye Towne Cryer service. 6.30-7.30, KPO Concert Orchestra. 7-7.10, Book review. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, Programme of international music. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, KPO's variety programme.

At The Playhouses

COLISEUM THEATRE This week's vaudeville at the Coliseum is a big hit with the patrons. The opening act is Fred Owens on the banjo, playing a number of real good, snappy selections, both popular and classical. Also on the bill are Great Nelson Brothers, a trio of seasoned performers, who give a highly entertaining performance of hand-balancing, acrobatics and gymnastic novelties. These boys have just finished a long tour of the big Eastern circuits.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE After tonight's show at the Playhouse some young lady will be able to claim possession of the daintiest ankles in the city, for this evening the final round in the "Prettiest Ankle Contest" will be reached and the audience will have made the final award. Lots of fun has centred round this contest, the more so as the identity of the contestants has been concealed during the judging, and the votes of the audience has been entirely on the shapely merits of the ankles revealed. The contest has been staged in conjunction with the film "Ankles Preferred," which is a Fox comedy dealing with an intriguing story of silk stockings and trim ankles.

CAPITOL THEATRE Paul Hurst, former movie cowboy, director and writer, played in First National's "The Valley of the Giants," now at the Capitol Theatre, with Milton Sills. He went on location with the company to Northern California, among the tall Redwoods. Hurst spent years in this same country and knows it like a book. He has ridden logging trains, juggled pike poles on log jams and coaxed huge logs into the teeth of flying saw blades. "But I still wear my spurs every time I ride on these narrow gauge railroads," Hurst declares. "I have found it the safest way to stick on."

DOMINION THEATRE J. Farrell Macdonald, prominent player in the Fox attraction, "East Side, West Side," says loyalty pays. "A studio electrician, who makes small bets on horse races," relates the comedian, "favors hunches having the same names as Fox pictures. Among the horses which have brought him profit are Is Zat So, Captain Fox, Colleen and Cradle Snatcher." "East Side, West Side" is showing at the Dominion Theatre.

VARIETY THEATRE The dense tropical jungles with their animal, reptilian and insect life, their beauty and terror, are shown most effectively in the new First National picture, "Framed," showing for the last times today at the Variety Theatre. Milton Sills is the star, supported by Natalie Kingston. The setting is largely the diamond mines of Brazil along the upper reaches of the Amazon, with all the amazing verdure, the mystery and thrill of the tropics.

COLUMBIA THEATRE "The Prairie King," starring Hoot Gibson, showing at the Columbia Theatre for the last times today, is brimful of action, laughs, thrills and romance. The picture should delight all who delight in Western "wows." Filmed under the able direction of B. Reaves Eason, with Barbara Worth, Charles Sellon, Rosa Gore, Al. Priscoe and others in the cast, this peppy photoplay is one of the most popular pictures the inimitable Hoot has ever made.

AMUSEMENTS

THE SCREEN

Capitol—Milton Sills in "The Valley of the Giants."

Columbia—"The Prairie King," featuring Hoot Gibson.

Dominion—"East Side, West Side," starring George O'Brien and Virginia Valli.

Variety — Milton Sills in "Framed."

THE STAGE

Playhouse — Prettiest Ankle Contest.

Coliseum—Vaudeville.

Crystal Garden — Swimming and dancing.

GLASGOW STUDENTS HOLD MONSTER RAG ON CHICAGO MAYOR

GLASGOW, Jan. 20.—Glasgow students made merry Thursday at the expense of Chicago's mayor.

A monster "rag" was held, based on the theme that "Big Bill" Thompson was voyaging in an Irish cattle boat from the United States on a crusade to clean the English out of Scotland.

For days the student headquarters has been receiving spoof wireless messages reporting the progress of "Big Bill" across the Atlantic. When a ship docked at Herkland Quay today, in the presence of a huge crowd which had been attracted by publicity concerning the "rag," a student disguised as Chicago's mayor stepped ashore among a consignment of steers.

"Big Bill" was welcomed by student officials and was carried shoulder high through the streets to the University, escorted by a great crowd. There he opened his campaign by burning a copy of the English Encyclopaedia. Then he visited the city chambers and met leading officials, among them Arthur Henderson, Laborite member of Parliament.

The students then hoisted him aboard a water cart for a return ride to the University, where the visitor delivered an address, complaining that the British press was printing distorted news regarding Chicago.

"Only yesterday," he exclaimed, "I read that there was only one murder daily in normal times in Chicago. That's press dope. During the height of the Christmas rush, the murders rose to the laudable figure of 42.5."

To be born a gentleman is an accident, but to die as one is an chievement.

What Next!

By J. H. Striebel

This little mouse trap arrangement is recommended for busy executives who have acute case of baby-in-the-desk. The recommendation does NOT come from the baby.

BRITISH-AMERICAN INVESTMENT TRUST COMPANY ORGANIZED

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Formation of a new investment trust to be known as the United States and British International Company, Ltd., to provide a liaison of United States and British capital in the investment trust field, is announced here. The new concern will be incorporated in Maryland with a capitalization of seven hundred shares of three dollar cumulative preferred stock, six hundred thousand shares class "A" common and 300,000 shares of class "B" common.

The entire issue of class "B" common has been taken by American Founders Trust, and Helberg, Wagg & Company, Ltd., of London, at a price reported to be around $1,000,000.

Woodward Thinks B.C. Should Finish P.G.E.

NORTH VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—Charles Woodward, M.P.P., at a Board of Trade meeting here last night discussed the government policy in respect to the P.G.E. Railway. He stated that the provincial government should complete the building of the railway and that 17,000,000 acres of land, exempt from taxation for twenty years, was a far too valuable gift to make to any railway company which already had lands and operating lines of its own. The action of the government in receiving reports on the line from engineers formerly employed by a rival company, was not only bad form but bad business, he said.

INDIGESTION Troubled Him For Two Years

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Capitol Concert Orchestra

A. Prescott, Director

Capital Comedy News and Review

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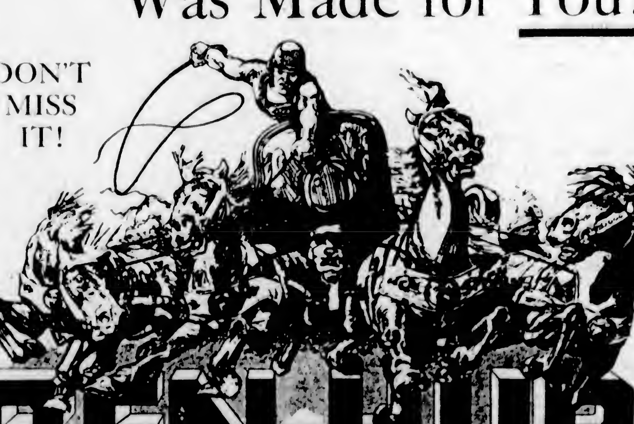

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DOMINION NEXT WEEK

Public Now Draws $1,500,000,000 Annually

Over Half the Population on This Continent Invests in Life Assurance

"Living" Policyholders Receive Nearly $10,000,000, or Two-Thirds of Money Paid Out by Canada Life in 1927

No Need to "Die to Win"

The figures just issued by the Canada Life Assurance Company with regard to benefits paid the policyholders and beneficiaries in 1927 explode the old fallacy as regards life insurance, that you have to "die to win." In the Canada Life last year $9,939,076 out of $15,243,335—the total benefits paid—were paid to living policyholders.

Were it possible for the public to change places with the staff of a Life Insurance Company for only one week all doubt as to the need, benefit and urgency of life insurance would vanish.

They would see cheques issued to many of the "totally disabled," thus relieving them of financial worry and affording a better chance for recovery; large cheques and smaller cheques constantly being paid to bereaved widows in lump sums or in instalments as an income for life—in many cases the only funds they possess to help keep their homes together and look after the children; cheques to middle-aged persons who through their savings are now able to realize many dreams of their younger days; cheques issued to happy old couples who have lived to benefit from their foresight and prudence, and cheques paid by way of profits to living policyholders.

They would read letters from persons in every walk of life, expressing real thankfulness for the payment of claims and for the sympathetic, kindly consideration shown them; for satisfaction received from the splendid profits paid, often in excess of expectations; letters from those in receipt of endowment funds stating how glad they are that they applied for the policy years before—most of them expressing regret that they had not decided to set aside more money in this way.

They would witness also the many cases where life insurance protection cannot be obtained because of the state of health of the applicants; most of whom have "put off" until too late the decision to insure.

They would read distressful letters from widows, inquiring whether their husband's insurance was in effect at the time of death. The hardest job that falls to the lot of a life insurance official is to tell a bereaved widow or mother that their sole reliance, a life insurance policy, has lapsed through neglect.

To catch such a glimpse of the picture as members of a Life Insurance Staff see it daily would thoroughly convince the most skeptical as to the wisdom of insuring early and adequately, for the sake of their own protection in case of total disablement, and for the protection of their dependents. Their own independence and comfort in later life is also at stake, because the great majority of persons find it difficult to earn a livelihood after age sixty or sixty-five.

Early Pioneers Suffered Great Hardships in West

Western Canada Undeveloped Even in 1879 When Canada Life Opened Office There — One Man Had Charge of Territory Port Arthur to Pacific

$37,000,000 Now Invested in Western Canada by Canada Life

A big life insurance company which transacts business all over Canada has no lack of appreciation of any part of it. As early as 1879 the Canada Life had its agencies in Western Canada, but the country was so sparsely settled that the entire West, from Port Arthur to Vancouver, was in charge of one man. The early Western pioneers, including Canada Life representatives, had to contend with the lack of transportation and other difficulties beyond appreciation by the present generation.

The belief of the Canada Life in Western Canada through the years of its history is found in the steady investment of funds west of the Great Lakes, the total amount so invested now amounting to over $37,000,000.

How to Keep Well

A generation ago every household expected more or less illness as a matter of course, and was devoutly thankful so long as it did not bring death. A human being who had uniform, uninterrupted good health was regarded as blessed by rare good luck.

Today we know that perfect good health is a human right; that nature wants us to have it; that we can find out how to have it, how to keep it and how to get it back if we have lost it.

While there are some people who are perfectly healthy and others who are incurably ill, the great majority form a class between these two. Most people can become perfectly, wholly healthy, and in time even the class of incurably ill may be reduced to a small, insignificant fraction of the race.

The Canada Life Assurance Company issues an attractive health booklet for its policyholders, entitled "How to Keep Well," which contains splendid suggestions, easily followed, which will enable any one to maintain his good health. Any one desiring a copy may have one without cost or obligation by applying to the Company's Home Office at Toronto or to any of its Branch Offices any day.

Better Than Ever Is Canada Life Annual Report In 81st Year

Review of Salient Points

Established in 1847, the Canada Life is now performing its 81st year of service.

New Canada Life policies to the amount of $157,000,000 were issued during 1927.

Canada Life insurance on the lives of its policyholders now exceeds $769,900,000.

During the year 1927 the large sum of $4,253,000 was paid in profits to policyholders.

During 1928 the Canada Life will pay to policyholders profits amounting to $4,660,000.

Canada Life policyholders receive 95% of the profits earned by the Company.

The Canada Life did not reduce its scale of dividends to policyholders during the war and influenza epidemic. During the past few years, however, dividends to policyholders have been increased.

Policyholders are protected by policy reserves amounting to $124,810,000. This is the "legal reserve," but the total assets of the Canada Life are now more than $140,500,000.

Special contingent reserve funds of approximately $1,300,000 are maintained.

Canada Life investments warrant the utmost confidence of its policyholders. On request a complete list of its securities will be mailed to any policyholder.

A reputation for fair and equare dealing with policyholders and prompt settlement of claims continued for over eighty years, is the best guarantee for the future.

Bank Required Life Insurance Collateral

$100,000 Policy Placed to Cover Large Loan

About eight months ago a Branch Manager for the Canada Life went to visit a motion picture producer, President of a company, with the object of interesting him in personal or business insurance. Being a bachelor with rather a large income, however, this man could not see the necessity for either personal or business insurance.

Later on in the year the Manager of his corporation called and the interview brought forth the fact that the manager had applied to his bank for a loan and the first question asked was: "What amount of insurance has your President on his life?" When informed that he had no insurance, either personal or business, the bank suggested that he go to an insurance company, present an application, be examined, make a payment for the premium and then have the office of the insurance company write a letter, stating that this had been done. The bank would then, it was explained, be in a better position to take up the question of a loan.

The ultimate result of this was $100,000 of insurance placed on the life of the business man.

Life insurance for business purposes is engaging the attention of business men today as never before. In the past year the Canada Life has assumed contracts on the lives of business men aggregating millions of dollars, and ranging in amounts from $5,000, in the case of small partnerships, up to $500,000 and more. The Canada Life has several policies for $1,000,000 in force.

Delay Is Always Dangerous

According to "The Weekly Underwriter," 111,220 policyholders died in Canada and the United States last year before their insurance had been in force one year, the highest percentage of these early deaths taking place between the ages of 30 and 39.

Death, as life insurance man know only too well, often comes unexpectedly, and the fact that such a large number of selected lives—all presumably in good health and with prospects of living many years—died within one year of securing life insurance, is a grim reminder to those whose dependents are not properly protected that delay in obtaining life insurance is extremely dangerous. Putting off a week or even a day may bring untold misery into the lives of unfortunate women and children who are made the innocent victims of procrastination.

ANNUAL SUMMARY OF AFFAIRS BY HERBERT C. COX PRESIDENT, CANADA'S OLDEST LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

Canada Life Issues Its 81st Annual Statement

At the 81st annual meeting of the Canada Life Assurance Company held on Thursday, January 12th, President Herbert C. Cox spoke as follows:

The important and widely distributed expansion evident during recent years in all classes of business appears to have again prevailed in 1927. Statements already issued by banking and trust institutions disclose an excellent condition and most successful operations for the twelve months. Deposits have increased, commercial loans are larger, assets have grown greatly, profits are much enhanced, all of which comes from a greater activity in industry and manufacturing. Exports of manufactured and partly manufactured goods are greater, more of our pulpwood is being converted into paper at home and less of it sent abroad in the raw state. Electric power undreamed of a few years ago is being developed and applied to industry, some of it old, but much of it new and attracted to Canada by our power possibilities. Cereal crops have again been most bountiful, having been exceeded in only one year, and our farmers, particularly those in the Western Provinces, will enjoy a most gratifying reward for their labors and will be enabled to make a very important reduction in their obligations. It may not be generally appreciated that repayments on account of principal of farm mortgages aggregate ten per cent. yearly, demonstrating a pleasing liquidity and tendency towards reduction of indebtedness. Mixed farming continues to grow, with the result that dairy and poultry products have enormously increased and the farmer has a more diversified source of income.

THE MINING INDUSTRY.

Nor must we overlook our vast mining areas which are seething with life and energy. They have produced this year in the neighborhood of $250,000,000.00 and with the addition of recent discoveries are apparently only beginning to show their possibilities. Canada is eminently fortunate in her mineral resources, which must ultimately bring her great wealth.

CO-OPERATION ON VAST SCALE.

Co-ordination of effort in industry and finance has become the key to success, and in an age of co-operation and investment trusts life assurance is the most outstanding example under both categories. Upon this continent alone upwards of sixty-five millions of people are joined in the greatest co-operative undertaking in history. Each member of this gigantic society makes his periodic subscription to it in order that at a time, determined or undetermined, his individual preconceived plan may without fail be carried out and his estate become the recipient of a definite sum of money, the proceeds of his life assurance contract. That the object of these members is being realized to the extent of one and one-half billions of dollars per year, irrespective of the number of subscriptions or premium payments each has made, is the demonstration of the co-operative spirit and intention developed to the highest degree and must carry its own strongest recommendation and appeal. Old and young, rich and poor, on every continent, today seek the advantage of this world-wide association which solves a pressing and important problem for all. If we are to share each other's burdens surely no better way is presented of doing so than through the channel provided by the life assurance companies. In Canada and the United States new policies taken up in 1927 approached twenty billions of dollars!

INVESTMENT OF FUNDS.

While enabling its members to attain a very definite goal, life assurance also makes each a shareholder in the most widely diversified investment Trust in existence. As you know, life assurance funds are invested in a multitude of securities, carefully scrutinized and selected, and upon the payment of his premiums, beginning with the first, the assured establishes a proprietary interest in them and in the care of them. Their safety and earning ability are of primary importance to him, and I am happy to say the companies have been eminently successful in both directions. Government and municipal securities are much favored by the companies and their purchases have frequently been of material assistance in financing the requirements of the nation. Similarly public services and utilities have been largely financed through the accumulations of millions of policyholders' small payments. Life assurance funds are also the most important factor and source of supply in the real estate mortgage loan market.

EFFORTS TO PROLONG LIFE.

Already the life companies give indication of usefulness in the spreading of propaganda for health and right living. The desire to prolong life is inherent in every human being, but for a life assurance company the desire becomes, for obvious reasons, a necessity. Some headway towards greater longevity has been made, but there will be required many years of intensive effort to prevent unnecessary illness and premature death before a full degree of success can be claimed.

CANADA LIFE PROGRESS.

Further progress in all departments of our own company has been established in the year just closed. The intelligent and well-directed effort of our associates in the field has again enabled us to surpass the objective set by the General Manager and to report the very excellent sum of $146,492,000 in new policies issued and taken up.

This amount is again well in excess of the previous year, and is a tribute to the calibre and loyalty of your representatives. Success has not been confined to any one section of our forces, but has been general throughout Canada and the United States, Great Britain and Ireland, despite very difficult conditions overseas. There is necessarily a considerable turnover in personnel in a large agency organization, since not all who enter it can be successful, but we endeavor through judicious selection to restrict this to a minimum. As only the fittest survive and are added to from year to year, it will be apparent that we are gradually accumulating a force of high type and performance. This essential means of contact between the office and its clients must command confidence, and the figures just given you will suggest the care and acumen displayed by our agency officials.

CANADA LIFE SURPLUS.

The earned surplus of $5,127,823.68 for the year is very excellent, and again reflects an encouraging rate of mortality and a gratifying rate of interest. The former results from the continued influx and proper selection of new lives and the latter from a careful but expanding choice of investment securities. As the trend of yield upon Government and municipal issues, to which we have hitherto largely directed our funds, is generally downward, it has been thought wise to turn a measure of attention to industrial and public utility bonds which have become so popular with large investors. We have been able within recent months to make a selection of these in Canada and the United States which combine ample safety with satisfactory return, and as we have to provide the reserves for our American policies in American securities our purchases of the latter will continue to increase, but with, I am sure, agreeable profit to the Company. As a stabilizer for our interest rate we have upwards of forty-six million dollars of real estate mortgages about equally divided between city and farm properties and embracing practically every Province and important centre of population. The security is excellent, the return satisfactory, and the cost of caring for them extremely low.

COMPANY EXPANDS.

A year ago you were advised of the Company's re-entry into the State of New York. I am happy to say the result has been as anticipated, and encouraged by the success of the office in New York City another was opened in Buffalo on December first, and already gives promise of real progress. The cordial relations between the two great nations of this continent are nowhere more apparent than in the reciprocity between their insurance institutions which are, I am sure, a powerful factor in cementing that friendship.

C.L.U. Degree Conferred Upon Many Canada Life Men

Chartered Life Underwriters Earn Distinction by Examination

The "C. L. U." degree is the "hallmark" authorised by Dominion Parliament by which the qualified Life Underwriter may now be recognized.

Life Underwriters can only qualify for the degree by passing a set of test examinations after at least a three-year period of study, and experience in serving the public. This requires a thorough knowledge of life insurance law, ethics, history, fundamentals, policy plans, benefit clauses, rules and regulations, finance, etc., and the solution of set problems similar to which these men are confronted with daily in connection with the creation and conservation of estates.

Aside from this, every man representing the Canada Life completes a special educational life insurance course which is conducted from the Home Office in Toronto by correspondence, and when he is sufficiently advanced he is brought to Toronto and is given a further concentrated training, which enables him to give even better service to the public.

The idea prevalent a few years ago, that an estate was "something big"—something possessed by only the wealthy classes, is fast becoming obsolete, as now few people are without an "estate," because life insurance estates are created by the thousands daily; in fact, life insurance method is the only way by which a man can create an immediate estate in event of his death.

The Canada Life is "custodian" of almost 150,000 such life insurance estates, amounting in the aggregate to $769,900,000.

Of vital interest to everyone is the progress of our great National Institutions, and the annual addresses of the leaders in industry and finance which give the public an insight into conditions in every field of endeavor are, therefore, worthy of study. Life insurance affects so many persons directly and indirectly that practically everyone will find of much interest this review by President Herbert C. Cox, of the Canada Life, of the progress of Canada's oldest Life Insurance Company. Each year the Canada Life takes this means of informing its policyholders and the public generally as to its affairs.

Avoid Carbon Monoxide Menace

This is the "open season" for carbon monoxide poisoning. Statistics show that from December when fatalities from this cause reach their peak until April an alarming number of fatalities occur every year.

A short time ago the Canada Life published an advertisement warning the public about the dangers of running an automobile in a closed or poorly ventilated garage, and also about starting the engine with the car doors and windows all closed, stating that enclosed within the four walls of a car or garage the poisonous carbon monoxide gas generated by the engine takes deadly toll of human life. Giving no warning of its presence, it overpowers and kills its victims with startling suddenness.

Unless constantly reminded of the danger they are exposed to, automobile owners are apt to overlook it, and at this season of the year particular attention is called to the carbon monoxide hazard.

AVOID the MENACE!

Never run an automobile engine in a closed or poorly ventilated garage.

Never work under machine with motor running, even in open air.

Never close all car windows with engine running, even in open air.

If necessary to operate the engine for any length of time, for making repairs or adjustments, the car should be taken into the open.

Head Office Staff "Takes Own Medicine"

Canada Life Employees Insured Themselves for $673,872

Salary Deduction Plan Helped

Soon after the "Salary Budget" idea was introduced by the Canada Life and offered to the public, many members of the Head Office Staff took up the plan and adopted for themselves this "deduct from pay envelope" method of saving. A large number of new policies were issued, and a few old ones changed to the monthly basis of paying premiums; on the same basis as all other Salary Budget cases issued by the Company.

At the close of last year this insurance on the staff had increased to 210 policies in force, amounting to $673,872. This is in addition to other "yearly premium" insurance held by many employees. The way in which this insurance has been continued would seem to prove that, where it is the best understood, and its advantages realized, Salary Budget is likely to be kept up quite as conscientiously as insurance taken on the regular plan. Frequently some of these Salary Budget policies are changed to a yearly basis, when it becomes more convenient for the holders of them to pay the premiums annually instead of monthly.

The Salary Budget or pay envelope deduction plan, so far as the benefit to employees is concerned, is one of the most valuable ideas recently introduced into life insurance service.

The total life insurance carried by the 140 employees at the Canada Life Head Office in Toronto amounts to $1,090,315, while Branch Managers and Company Representatives have secured insurance in the Canada Life of approximately $5,300,000—making a total of almost $6,400,000 life insurance on the entire staff, which shows unmistakably how thoroughly they believe in practicing what they preach.

Workers' Families Protected By $6,250,000,000 Group Insurance

Surprising Facts Quoted By Group Sales Manager of Canada Life Assce. Co.

During the last fifteen years the principle of Group Insurance has been thoroughly tried and proved.

With the close of another year it is interesting to note the progress made in Group Life Insurance.

Many an Employer who had previously rejected or postponed giving his employees the benefits of Group Life Insurance offered it to his employees during the year 1927. The great good and the great economic result brought about by Group Insurance can best be understood by the following figures:

During the year 1926, forty-six per cent. of all the death claims paid in Canada and the United States were Group Insurance claims, and sixty-five per cent. of the above forty-six per cent. were paid to families who had no other insurance protection.

The figures given below show the growth of Group Insurance on this Continent and speak for themselves:

Group Insurance was first written in the year 1912, and the end of the year showed a total of $13,172,198 Group Insurance in force. In three years (1915), this figure had grown to $99,046,262; in 1920 to $1,662,227,449; in 1925 to $4,312,048,128, and it is estimated that at the end of 1927 over $6,250,000,000 will be in force.

Group Insurance Features.

This plan includes a total and permanent disability benefit, and a Group Policy may be converted to a regular plan if employee leaves the service of his company.

All are eligible, but only through the Employer can employees receive the benefits of Group Insurance.

Few Employers today are entirely free from the spirit of altruism, and Group Insurance has proved to be a sound and economic business necessity and should have first place in all employees' welfare schemes today.

The cost of Group Insurance is based upon the ages of the employees in the Group.

The insurance can be written under two plans. One, the Non-Contributory Plan, where the Employer pays the entire cost; the other, the Contributory (or Co-Operative Plan) whereby the employee is offered the benefits of Group Insurance and can contribute up to 60c per month per $1,000 of insurance towards the premium. 95% of all Group Insurance written today is on the Contributory or Co-Operative Plan—the cost to the Employer is moderate, but the resultant good is seldom fully realized by Employers until a few claims are incurred through deaths in the plant.

Measuring Group Insurance By the Happiness It Brings.

The happiness produced by Group Life Insurance can be illustrated by comparing a $100,000 insurance policy placed on the life of a wealthy man as compared with a $100,000 Group policy placed upon the lives of 100 employees.

In the first case the dependents of one man benefit, but in the second case it is possible to spread the "happiness" into the lives and hearts of 100 families. Then again, in the case of the wealthy man's dependents, they, in all probability, would not be destitute if he had not taken the insurance, whereas in the case of the "breadwinner," the lack of the $1,000 Group Policy may mean "Starvation."

"What do you do when one of your employees dies?" is a question often put to an Employer, and the answer in many cases is, "We were sorry to lose him, but we replaced him."

Analyze this answer — the employee is replaced in the business and the business goes on as before—replacing a life as you would a broken cog in a wheel or a pulley on a line shaft—but what of his home—his wife—his kiddies? Nothing can replace his loss in their lives and hearts—his presence—his love—his earning power—all are lost to his dear ones forever.

Group Insurance Helps.

Because it produces a fund free from the stigma of charity, that continues to feed the mouths and clothe the bodies of those who have been dependent on the Employer's payroll—whom the Employer may never have seen—but who are a vital part of his organization because they are entwined with the ambitions and lives of his employees, and it must also be remembered that "the home is the foundation of the nation."

AN ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Canada Life Assurance Company takes this opportunity of publicly acknowledging the great number of letters of appreciation received during 1927.

It is glad to have been able to exceed the expectation of so many policyholders with regard to the results of their policies, and it is very gratified to know that its Staff has given such consideration, advice and assistance as to merit the expressions of appreciation received from many bereaved families.

The policy of the Company from its inception in 1847 has been one of "fair and square" dealing and liberal interpretation of contracts. Its record is well known to all, and its constant aim is to serve its clients faithfully.

CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

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T. G. McConkey, *General Manager.*

ESTABLISHED 1847

SOME OUTSTANDING FEATURES OF THE 81st ANNUAL REPORT

Profits Paid Policyholders in 1927

Total profits paid to policyholders in 1927 amounted to $4,253,000.

Surplus Earned

During the year 1927 the amount of surplus earned was $5,127,000; for the first time in its history the Company exceeded the five-million mark in surplus earnings.

Benefits Paid in 1927

Out of a total amount of $15,243,335 paid in benefits during 1927, living policyholders received $9,939,076.

Profits to Be Paid to Policyholders in 1928

A total of $4,660,000 will be paid in profits to policyholders during 1928.

Assets for Protection of Policyholders

Policyholders are protected by policy reserves amounting to $124,810,000. This is the legal reserve, but the total assets of the Canada Life are now more than $140,500,000.

Total Business Issued in 1927---$157,000,000

		Increase.
Total Insurance in Force increased to	$769,982,000	$96,591,000
Total Assets increased to	140,580,000	13,332,000
Reserves for Protection of Policyholders	124,810,000	12,280,000
New Assurances paid for in 1927	146,492,000	9,552,000
Total Income for 1927	34,378,000	2,346,000

During the year the large sum of $4,253,000 was paid in dividends to policyholders.

(A Complete Annual Statement Will Be Mailed Upon Request to Head Office at Toronto.)

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Workmen Making Rapid Progress on Elevator

Total of 2,500 Piles Will Be Driven in Foundation Scheme Within Three Weeks' Time—Will Employ More Men

With about fifty workmen toiling industriously and powerful pile-drivers and donkey engines beclouding the scene with smoke and steam from exhaust pipes, work is proceeding apace on the construction of the Panama-Pacific Grain Elevator at Ogden Point.

When the piling foundation is completed—in about three weeks' time, it is anticipated—Smith Brothers & Wilson, Ltd., the builders, will probably engage a force of from 150 to 200 workmen to complete the erection of the structure.

Half of the shoreward pier warehouse at Ogden Point has been cut away and the main operations at present consist of excavating a huge rectangular hole, 360 feet by seventy feet in dimensions. An industrial clam-shell is doing this work, digging to a depth of eleven feet at the point over which the workhouse will be built, and of six feet throughout the area over which the storage part of the elevator will stand. A total of 2,500 piles will be driven in this rectangle and over them will be laid the concrete floor of the elevator.

While the clam-shell bucket is biting huge mouthfuls of sand and gravel and depositing them in small flat cars to be hauled away and dumped, two pile-drivers are in action at opposite ends of the basin.

The piling will be completed within three weeks, it is expected.

The elevator itself will be completed by September 1, in time for next season's grain trade.

TREASURE SHIP HUNT RENEWED

ITALIAN FIRM TO DREDGE FOR GOLD FROM 200 SUNKEN GALLEONS

Spanish Plate Ships Were Sunk by British Fleet in Vigo Bay, Spain, in 1702

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Again search has been authorized for the treasure of Vigo Bay in Spain.

Nearly 200 Spanish plate ships, laden, legend declares, with gold and silver from the New World believed to exceed $100,000,000 in value, went down under English guns in that port in 1702.

If this ancient hoard, the greatest treasure trove in legendary history and the theme of Jules Verne's "Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea," ever sunk to the silted bottom of the Spanish harbor, it is still there.

But Walter H McKinney, American Consul at Vigo, reports the local belief that there is no treasure in Vigo Bay. Along with the tales of its existence, he has found, there runs a legend among the people of the region, handed down all the generations by word of mouth, that the treasure was taken ashore three days before the English Fleet burnt its way through the guarding chain at the harbor mouth to destroy the plate fleet as it lay.

BUT NO GOLD

Guns from the sunken galleons ancient timbers and ship fittings have been lifted again to the sunlight after 200 years of submersion, but never a golden ingot or a fragment of silver plate, never a piece-of-eight or other bit of precious metal.

MsKinney's excursion into history and legend arose out of inquiries from prospective American treasure hunters recently, when the Spanish Government renewed the royal concession to the "Society International Pino," an Italian concern, for the raising of the sunken galleons.

A story of the destruction of the plate fleet published in Vigo, tells of the treasure-laden convoy successfully evading the English-Dutch Fleet besieging Cadiz, the regular port of arrival for the plate ships, and making its way to Vigo.

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Victoria Ph. 2900. Sidney Ph. 54

Leaves Victoria	Leaves Sidney
8:00 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
10:30 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
1:00 P.M.	10:30 A.M.
3:00 P.M.	1:00 P.M.
4:30 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
6:10 P.M.	4:30 P.M.
8:15 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
11:15 P.M.	7:15 P.M.

Sundays, Christmas Day and New Year's Day

Leaves Victoria	Leaves Sidney
10:00 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
2:00 P.M.	11:00 A.M.
5:00 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
8:00 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
10:00 P.M.	9:00 P.M.

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ASSAULT VICTIM ESCAPES DEATH

First Mate of Forest Crosby Beaten and Hurled Into Harbor—Rescued by Steward

SEATTLE, Jan. 20.—After being beaten by four men and hurled into the cold waters of Elliott Bay at Pier 41, William Sextant, twenty-eight, was rescued early today by John Delisle, steward of the tugboat Forest Crosby, who heard his cries for help.

Sextant, who is first mate on the Forest Crosby, was attacked when he stepped on the gangplank early this morning after spending the evening downtown. The four unknown men rained blows on his head and body, beat him into insensibility and threw him into the water. The cold water revived him sufficiently to enable him to keep above the surface and call for help. Sextant was close to the vessel, and Delisle pulled him aboard without difficulty. In addition deep cuts on his head and body, several of Sextant's ribs were broken.

STEAMER SCENE OF EXPLOSION

Blast That Alarmed Vancouver on Thursday Traced to Scrapping of Empress of Japan

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—The explosion which disturbed the city early Thursday evening is said to have taken place at the old steamer Empress of Japan, now but a mass of steel lying on the shores of the Indian Reserve, North Shore, near Seymour Creek mouth. The wreck, which is being taken down for scrap, lies a long distance from the nearest dwelling.

Between 8 p.m. and 8:30 p.m., workmen set off a blast of fifteen sticks of dynamite to break up a large piece of steel. It is thought that atmospheric conditions were such that the concussion of the explosion extended further than normally.

The men on the job did not feel anything extraordinary. They merely waked a couple of hundred feet way from the explosion and waited in the open until it had taken place.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

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The "Imperial" (through Vancouver-Montreal train) leaves Vancouver at 9 p.m. daily, also carrying through standard sleeper to Chicago via Minneapolis and St. Paul.

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"Coast-Kootenay Express" leaves at 7:30 p.m. daily.

"Fraser Valley Local" leaves at 5:15 p.m. daily.

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7:30 a.m.	Mondays Only	8:30 a.m.
8:15 a.m.		10:20 a.m.
11:15 a.m.	Daily Including Sundays	12:00 noon
1:30 p.m.		2:30 p.m.
3:15 p.m.		4:00 p.m.
6:00 p.m.		9:00 p.m.

Tenders Called For Structures At Graving Dock

TENDERS are now being called for the construction of a group of buildings at the new Esquimalt drydock, including carpenter and blacksmith shops and two oil houses, Mr. J. P. Forde, district engineer for the Federal Department of Public Works, announced yesterday. It is anticipated the total cost of the buildings will be in the neighborhood of $5,000. Parfitt Brothers will begin the construction of a group of workhouses at the drydock at the beginning of next week, it is expected. The total cost of these structures will be about $15,000.

TYNE YARD TO BUILD STEAMER

CUNARD LINER SAID ABOUT TO BE ORDERED FROM MAURETANIA BUILDERS

New Giant Vessel Expected to Bring Four-Day Atlantic Crossing Within Reach

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 20.—A new giant liner for the Cunard Company is reported as on the point of being ordered from a shipyard on the Tyne, where the Mauretania was built. The big craft is expected to bring the four-day Atlantic crossing within an approachable distance. Passengers who leave London on Saturday forenoon will be landed in New York on Wednesday evening following. If this is so she will retain for Great Britain the blue ribbon of the Atlantic, which otherwise may be lost.

The Cunarder will have super-pressure turbines, but the big White Star liner ordered last month at Harland & Wolff will have Diesel propelling machinery said to develop something like 100,000 horse-power, or four times as powerful as the Italian liner Augustus, the largest existing motor vessel.

It is reported at Glasgow that railway officials have recently made a survey at several points on the southern Scottish coast with a view to selecting a harbor where American liners might deliver and take on passengers and mail, thereby saving a day on the journey and relieving the congestion at other ports.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET JANUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1928.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	8:06	4:27	17	8:00	4:47
2	8:06	4:28	18	7:59	4:48
3	8:06	4:29	19	7:59	4:50
4	8:06	4:30	20	7:57	4:52
5	8:05	4:31	21	7:56	4:53
6	8:05	4:32	22	7:55	4:55
7	8:05	4:33	23	7:54	4:56
8	8:05	4:34	24	7:53	4:58
9	8:05	4:35	25	7:52	4:59
10	8:05	4:37	26	7:51	5:01
11	8:04	4:38	27	7:50	5:02
12	8:04	4:40	28	7:49	5:04
13	8:03	4:41	29	7:47	5:05
14	8:03	4:43	30	7:46	5:07
15	8:02	4:44	31	7:45	5:08
16	8:01	4:46			

MOONRISE AND MOONSET JANUARY

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1928.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	12:49 p.m.	1:16 a.m.
2	1:14 p.m.	2:34 a.m.
3	1:44 p.m.	3:55 a.m.
4	2:19 p.m.	5:15 a.m.
5	3:04 p.m.	6:33 a.m.
6	4:01 p.m.	7:42 a.m.
	(Full Moon)	
7	5:06 p.m.	8:40 a.m.
8	6:17 p.m.	9:25 a.m.
9	7:39 p.m.	10:00 a.m.
10	8:40 p.m.	10:28 a.m.
11	9:40 p.m.	10:51 a.m.
12	10:55 p.m.	11:10 a.m.
13	.....	11:28 a.m.
14	.....	11:56 a.m.
	(Last Quarter)	
15	1:04 a.m.	12:04 p.m.
16	2:05 a.m.	12:35 p.m.
17	3:14 a.m.	12:45 p.m.
18	4:30 a.m.	1:18 p.m.
19	5:25 a.m.	1:55 p.m.
20	6:39 a.m.	2:40 p.m.
21	7:22 a.m.	3:37 p.m.
22	8:10 a.m.	4:43 p.m.
	(New Moon)	
23	8:49 a.m.	5:58 p.m.
24	9:21 a.m.	7:19 p.m.
25	9:48 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
26	10:11 a.m.	9:48 p.m.
27	10:32 a.m.	11:05 p.m.
28	10:54 a.m.	.....
29	11:18 a.m.	0:20 a.m.
	(First Quarter)	
30	11:44 a.m.	1:42 a.m.
31	12:18 p.m.	3:01 a.m.

TIDES AT VICTORIA JANUARY

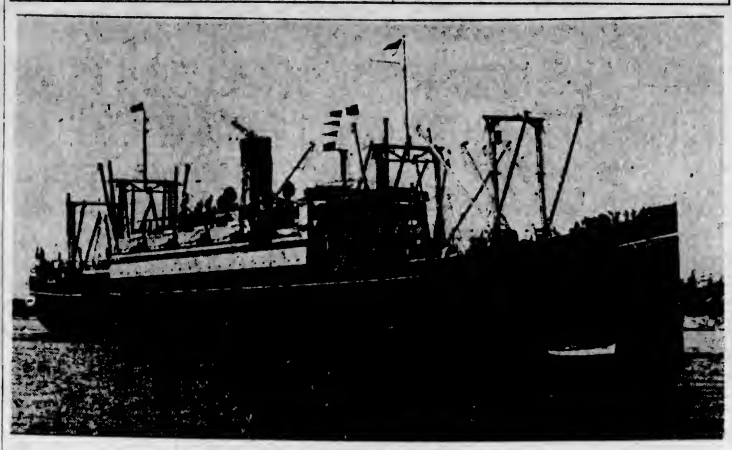
Date	Time	H.T. H.	H.T. Ft.	Time	H.T. H.	H.T. Ft.	Time	H.T. H.	H.T. Ft.
1	2:16	8.0	9.5	8.5	17:02	4.9	23:07	6.4	
2	2:49	8.0	10.19	9.5	17:55	9.5	.....		
3	.....		10:48	9.7	18:43	2.4	.....		
4	.....		11:16	10.1	19:38	1.5	.....		
5	.....		11:49	10.4	20:13	0.7	.....		
6	.....	9.1	.....	9.1	12:20	10.5	20:54	0.4	
7	7:05	9.3	8:42	9.1	12:59	10.2	21:34	0.9	
8	7:28	9.2	9:24	9.0	13:83	9.8	22:13	0.8	
9	7:52	9.2	10:30	8.7	14:08	9.3	22:53	1.5	
10	8:19	9.1	11:51	8.3	14:39	8.9	23:33	2.3	
11	8:37	9.0	13	7.7	15:03	7.9	.....		
12	8:12	3.3	9:33	9.0	.....	8.0	.....	4.0	
13	0:46	4.2	8:49	9.0	.....	9.1	.....	6.1	
14	1:11	5.2	9:08	9.0	17:54	5.4	.....	5.0	
15	.....	6.0	9:38	9.0	17:57	4.7	.....		
16	.....		9:50	9.1	18:13	4.1	.....		
17	.....		10:14	9.3	19:39	3.4	.....		
18	.....		10:49	9.6	20:07	2.8	.....		
19	.....		10:97	9.4	19:38	2.3	.....		
20	.....		10:41	9.6	20:10	1.9	.....		
21	.....		11:32	9.8	20:44	1.2	.....		
22	.....		12:30	9.8	21:31	1.1	.....		
23	.....		10:07	9.7	22:00	1.2	.....		
24	7:45	9.5	10:12	9.4	12:50	9.2	22:41	1.9	
25	7:14	9.4	11:10	7.8	14:55	8.0	23:23	2.9	
26	7:19	8.5	12:12	7.1	18:08	8.0	.....		
27	0:03	3.1	7:36	8.6	13:17	6.3	17:48	7.9	
28	0:34	4.2	7:56	8.8	14:29	5.4	19:48	6.7	
29	1:03	5.3	8:17	9.1	15:37	4.4	22:08	6.5	
30	1:12	6.3	8:40	9.4	18:29	3.4	.....		
31	.....		9:08	9.7	17:21	2.9	.....		

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tides rise or fall continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any time, add thirty feet to the height of high water as given above.

Liner en Route Here From Orient Ports



S.S. President Jefferson, of the American Mail Line, which will arrive here from the Orient January 30, according to word received by Mr. W. M. Allan, local agent for the company. The vessel will discharge 520 tons of cargo at this port.

BRITISH CRUISER IS IN COLLISION

Flagship of Mediterranean Squadron Damaged in Crash With Steamer

VALETTA, Malta, Jan. 20.—The British cruiser Caledon and the Italian steamer Antares today were in collision in Boro Channel, in the Aegean Sea.

The Antares was taken under tow to Piraeus and the Caledon was reported to have been damaged, but no definite word had been received here as to the extent of her damages or details of the collision.

The cruiser Caledon, flagship of the cruiser squadron stationed in the Mediterranean, was launched in November, 1916, being built under the emergency war problem. Her displacement is 4,120 tons and she carries 440 men.

The Antares, 2,377 tons, is in the Mediterranean trade.

Empress Liner Is Due to Dock Here Tomorrow

The Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Russia will reach William Head from the Orient at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning, according to word received by wireless from the ship yesterday.

The big liner is expected to dock at the Rithet Consolidated piers about one hour later.

N. Saanich Liberals To Meet on Saturday

The annual meeting of the North Saanich Liberal Association will be held tonight, at 8 o'clock, in the Matthews Hall. Officers will be elected. Mr. C. H. O'Halloran will be the chief speaker. Mayor S. F. Moodie will also give an address.

Jefferson Due On January 30 From Yokohama

THE American Mail liner President Jefferson will dock here from Yokohama and other Oriental ports on January 30, according to cable advices received here yesterday by Mr. W. M. Allan, local agent for the company. The Jefferson is bringing passengers and mail, and 520 tons of cargo for Victoria. The President Taft, of the same line, will sail for Yokohama on the same day, putting to sea from the Rithet Consolidated piers at 6 p.m.

C.P.R. POLICE AT VANCOUVER MADE CUSTOMS OFFICERS

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 20.—The powers and privileges of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's police force in Vancouver have been greatly extended by the appointment, ratified by Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of customs, and announced today, of Inspector H. McGowan and the wharf staff here as customs excise enforcement officers. The appointments are effective immediately. More than a score of constables take on added duties under the customs act as a result of the official order from Ottawa.

This innovation constitutes an important addition to the various Federal forces now represented in Vancouver.

Dome Earnings Up

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—Net earnings of Dome Mines, Limited, for twelve months ended December 31, 1927, amounted to $1,960,584, according to an approximate statement just issued. This figure excludes depreciation and compares with $1,742,760 in 1926.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

WIRELESS REPORT

8 P.M., Estevan—Unless Otherwise Stated

OLYMPIA MARU — Bound Victoria, 46.30 N., 137.15 W

WATAMA—San Francisco for Seattle, 286 miles from San Francisco

W. S. MILLER—Richmond for San Pedro, 63 miles from San Pedro

ADMIRAL SEBREE—San Francisco for Seattle, 565 miles from Seattle

SHASTA—Grays Harbor for Los Angeles, 860 miles from Los Angeles

VENICE MARU—Vancouver for Yokohama, 50.20 N., 132.10 W

CANADIAN COASTER—Vancouver for San Pedro, 543 miles from San Pedro

PIONEER DOLLAR—San Pedro for Portland, 350 miles from Columbia River.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, Jan. 20 — Arrived: Suwied, Tacoma. Emma Alexander, San Francisco. Sailed: Suwied, Los Angeles; Edward Luckenbach, Emma Alexander, Tacoma. West Nivaria, Eureka; Pacific Enterprise, Portland; Cuprum, Shanghai; Borzaa, San Francisco. El Segundo, Grays Harbor; Horace K. Baxter, Vancouver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20 — Arrived: Jane Nettleton, Monterey; Robin Gray, Baltimore; Admiral Peroplea, Astoria. Arctic, Admiral Farragut, Pacific, San Pedro; American Star, Charleston; Katherine, Port San Luis; Glymont, Port Gamble. Sailed: Wallingford, Portland; Planter, London; President Jackson, Manila, Honolulu; Pacific Bonuce, Port Armstrong, Seattle; Siam, Copenhagen; Sacramento, Baltimore.

Arrived

GENOA, Jan. 15—Savoia, Portland

MARSEILLES, Jan. 17 — Washington Maru, Sea, Pardo, Vancouver

YOKOHOMA, Jan. 18—Malta Maru, Portland.

LONDON, Jan. 19—Felix Taussig, Tacoma

ANTWERP, Jan. 19—Yelfuku Maru, Seattle.

SUVAM, Jan. 19—Sierra, San Francisco

MELBOURNE, Jan. 20 — Wairana, San Francisco

NEW YORK, Jan. 20—De Grasse, Havre; Roma, Genoa.

Sailed

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 18—Tyndaeus, Seattle.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 20—President Grant, San Francisco.

OSLO, Jan. 20. — George Washington, San Francisco

PANAMA CANAL, Jan. 19 — Florence Luckenbach, Mongolian, San Francisco.

TACOMA, Jan. 20—Arrived: Dorothy Wintermote, Emma Alexander, Seattle. Sailed: Port Angeles, Hofuku Maru, Cuneo, Suwied, Seattle. Amur, with barge Lord Templeton, Vancouver, B. C.

PORTLAND, Jan. 20—Arrived: Admiral Schley, San Diego and ways; Dermlar, Los Angeles. Sailed: J. C. Fitzsimmons, Los Angeles; Stanley Dollar, Antofagasta; West Hilton, Manila; Willamette, San Francisco.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

ARIZONA MARU—From Japan, Jan. 21

MONTGOMERYSHIRE — From United Kingdom, Jan. 31.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA — From Orient, Jan. 72.

PACIFIC SHIPPER—From United Kingdom, Jan. 29

YOKOHAMA MARU — From Orient, Jan. 27

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—From Orient, Jan. 30.

NIAGARA—From Antipodes, Feb. 9.

TOYAMA MARU—From Orient, Feb. 9.

LONDON IMPORTER — From United Kingdom, Feb. 11.

EMPRESS OF ASIA — From Orient, Feb. 12.

KAGA MARU—From Orient, Feb. 18.

PACIFIC RELIANCE—From United Kingdom, Feb. 27.

PACIFIC TRADER—From United Kingdom, March 13.

To Depart

SHIDZUOKA MARU—For Orient, Jan. 24.

PRESIDENT TAFT—For Orient, Jan. 30

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—For Orient, Feb. 4

NIAGARA—For Antipodes, Feb. 8

YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, Feb. 8

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, Feb. 26.

AFRICA MARU—For Orient, Feb. 29.

KAGA MARU—For Orient, March 3.

ARABIA MARU—For Orient, March 13.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN IMPORTER—Left Kingston for New London and Halifax, Jan. 11. Due Victoria again on March 19

CANADIAN RANGER—Arrived Montreal, Nov. 25

CANADIAN SPINNER—Left Victoria for Kingston, Jan. 17.

CANADIAN WINNER—Left Halifax for Sydney, N.S., Jan. 2, due here Feb. 17.

CANADIAN MILLER—Arrived Victoria from Montreal, Jan. 9.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS JANUARY, 1928

China and Japan

TATSUTRUS (Japan only)—Mails close January 10, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 25.

PRESIDENT PIERCE—Mails close January 18, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 29. Shanghai, February 2. Hong Kong, February 5.

LONDON MARU (Japan only)—Mails close January 18, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 4.

SHIDZUOKA MARU (Japan only)—Mails close January 24, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 8.

PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close January 30, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 12; Shanghai, February 16. Hong Kong, February 19.

ACHILLES (Japan only)—Mails close January 31, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 14.

Australia and New Zealand

AORANGI—Mails close January 11, 6 p.m. Due at Auckland January 30; Sydney, February 4.

SONOMA (Fiji and Australia only)—Mails close January 14, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney February 9.

TAHITI—Mails close January 23, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington February 13; Sydney, February 18.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

The Ss. Otter will leave Victoria on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7:15 a.m. and the Princess Royal on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. to Gulf Islands points.

PATRICIA TO GO ON RUN MONDAY

B.C. Coast Service Vessel Completes Test Run Satisfactorily—Tug Spray Under Repair

After having been overhauled and fitted with new turbines, the Princess Patricia left the V.M.D. plant at noon yesterday and steamed out into the Strait on a trial trip.

Everything worked satisfactorily during the test run, the new turbine functioning perfectly.

The vessel will sail on her regular run out of Nanaimo to Vancouver on Monday morning and will continue until the new vessel, the Princess Elaine, arrives from the Old Country.

The Victoria Tug Company's tugboat Spray was hauled out on the V.M.D. ways yesterday to have her boiler retubed.

Griffco SOS. Calls Probe Now Ordered

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—Bernard Linden, Supervisor of Radio, has instituted an investigation to determine why the steamship Griffco, bound from Seattle to Honolulu last week, sent out distress calls by wireless and then, several hours later, after a number of vessels had started to her assistance, radioed that all was well. Mr. Linden sent a radiogram to the Honolulu Customs Bureau asking that the master and wireless operator be interrogated. The Griffco recently was purchased from Captain James Griffiths of Seattle by the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Company of Honolulu.

Movement of Grain Beats 1926 Record

WINNIPEG, Jan. 20.—Approximately 1,000,000 bushels of grain were added to storage at Fort William within the last twenty-four hours, according to figures given out by the Canadian Pacific Railway here today. Total storage at the head of the Great Lakes stands at 53,626,000 bushels, increasing at the rate of about a million bushels a day. Storage is also increasing at Vancouver, the figure being 4,252,565 bushels, while at Interior elevators along the lines of the Canadian Pacific storage stands at 17,060,000 bushels.

Marketing and loading figures over the company's lines yesterday are over double those of the same day last year. Total amount of grain marketed amounted to 659,998 bushels against 263,970 bushels last year, with loadings amounting to 568 cars against 275 cars for the corresponding day of 1927.

Vancouver Exchange Sales Break Record

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—Heavy transactions on the Vancouver Stock Exchange continue. Today's sales of 675,000 created a record and exceeded yesterday's sales by 25,000 shares. Stocks fluctuated widely, several soaring to peaks around mid-session, and then weakening at the close. Big Missouri opened at 44, jumped in big leaps to 1.95 and then slumped back to 55 at the finish. Sunloch rose from 4.50 to 4.90, closing at 4.65. Following its spectacular rise on Thursday, Pend Oreille was less active today, opening at 10.00, the previous high, gained 25 and then settled back to 9.80 at the close.

There will be no session of the exchange tomorrow.

Oak Bay Court

In a brief session of the Oak Bay police court, held yesterday and presided over by Magistrate George Jay, James Osmand was fined the sum of $20 for driving his automobile to the common danger. J. D. Russell paid the court $5 for failing to produce a driver's licence upon the demand of a police officer.

"What, another bazaar! Why, you had one only a few weeks ago to enable you to send the rector on a holiday."

"Oh, yes, well, this is to enable the rector to come home again."

Elements Blamed For Stranding of Alaskan Steamer

SEATTLE, Jan. 20 — The wreck of the Alaska Steamship Company's passenger liner Northwestern near Cape Mudge, B.C., on December 11, was caused by driving snow, fog and treacherous currents, read the decision of Captain Donald S. Ames and Thomas Short, United States steamboat inspectors, which was announced today.

Captain J. Livingstone, master of the vessel, and his officers were exonerated from blame for the wreck. The 107 passengers and crew of the liner at no time during the wreck, were in danger of being lost, the decision reads.

INTERCOASTAL PACT TO STAY

UNITED STATES SHIPPING CONFERENCE PAST EXPERIMENTAL STAGE

Several of Present Cargo Rates Extended to June 30 and Some to December 31

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—That the United States intercoastal conference has passed the experimental stage and is now a permanent institution was indicated here yesterday in the announcement by H. M. Runyon, Pacific Coast representative, that several of the present rates have been extended to June 30 and others to December 31. The rates, according to Runyon, automatically expire on February 29, unless action extending them is taken.

When the conference was organized last year it was for six months, which was characterized by the members as a probationary period, but the organization has been functioning so satisfactorily to both operators and shippers "there is now no doubt but that the conference is here to stay," according to Runyon.

In explaining the extension of certain rates to June and others to December, Runyon said this action was taken for the purpose of determining whether or not the present contracts will be satisfactory after the expiration of the time for which they are extended. In the event they are not, a modification on such as are necessary will be made, he said.

"In announcing the extensions," Runyon said, "it is a notice to those concerned that the conference has successfully passed what we have termed the experimental stage. Shippers and operators have been clamoring for stabilization in the intercoastal trade, and the efforts of the conference to this end have been more than successful. This was the principal purpose for which the conference was organized, and everybody concerned is happy at the results so far obtained."

Dominion Asked to Break With Mexico

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—As far as can be learned here the Government has not received from Consul-General Baron of Mexico any formal intimation that he is willing to retire.

While the resolution of Hon. Charles Marcil, Liberal, Bonaventure, which will be debated during the session of Parliament, asks for the recall of General Barron, it also asks Parliament to declare that "it regrets the uncalled-for trip of Sir Henry Thornton and certain members of his staff on an official mission to Mexico," and its also requests discontinuance of further intercourse between Canada and Mexico until the policy of persecution adopted against Roman Catholics in Mexico has been stopped and civil and religious liberty re-established.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—General Medina Barron, Mexican consul, declared today there was no foundation for a report to the effect that he might resign in connection with a motion to be introduced in parliament asking for his resignation because of statements respecting the Roman Catholic Church in Mexico.

"I broke off my engagement with George because my feelings were no longer the same as when I accepted him."

"Yes? Then why do you keep his engagement ring?"

"Because my feelings towards the ring are unchanged."

WAS VERY WEAK NERVOUS AND MELANCHOLY

Mrs. Geo. McKenzie, Campbellford, Ont., writes: "A short time ago I was troubled very badly with my heart and nerves, the cause of it, I think, was my going through the change of life.

"I was very weak and melancholy, and so nervous I could hardly bear to hear a clock ticking, and I did not sleep well.

"I was advised to try MILBURN'S HEART NERVE PILLS so I sent at once for a box; took them and got another, and before they were all gone I felt good, my nerves are fine, I do not mind any noise, and I can sleep well. I cannot recommend them too highly to those suffering as I did."

Price 50c a box at all druggists and dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. (Advt.)

PROFITS OF AIR COMPANY GROW

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS REPORT NET PROFIT OF £11,461 FOR 1927

In Three Years 52,000 Passengers Flown 2,500,000 Miles Without Injury

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Those patriotic spirits who boldly subscribed the capital of Imperial Airways are now receiving some satisfaction, although no dividend, in the results reported for the third year of operations. A net profit of £11,461 is announced for the twelve months to March 31 last, which compares with losses of £20,415 and £15,217 for the two preceding years.

The present accounts cover the first full year of operations with multi-engined aeroplanes, which the board considered to be essential for creating a good will based on safety and reliability. Since Jan. 1, 1925, to date the company has carried 52,000 passengers and flown nearly 2,500,000 miles without a single accident causing injury to passengers.

The trading result, which, with miscellaneous income, amounted to £58,601, improved by over £31,000, and this was entirely due to the European section of the company's services. The first three months of the Middle West service have brought only a negligible profit.

The service between Cairo and Basra has been run throughout with complete regularity and reliability; but political difficulties have made it impossible to pass over Persian territory, and for that reason alone the company has been unable to complete the line to India as originally contemplated.

Paid-up capital is now £472,813, allowing for £1,356 calls in arrear. The number of shares issued is 599,168, with 15s. called on 499,993, the balance being fully paid. The balance sheet now shows a debit of £24,171. The 15s. paid shares stand at about 6s.

NEW SHOE STORE WELL EQUIPPED

Firm of H. E. Munday Has Been Catering to the Public of Victoria for Thirty Years

Starting in the shoe business at 1227 Government Street thirty years ago, the firm of H. E. Munday now has one of the most modern shoe stores in the city at 1203 Douglas Street.

For a number of years the firm was located at 1115 Government Street until Mr. Munday recently decided to move to Douglas Street with the changing trend of business to the centre of the city.

The new store is attractively fitted up with comfortable seats and full length mirrors, and a lighting system insuring the equal of daylight illumination at all times. A special stock of ladies' novelty shoes from Boston and St. Louis is carried in addition to well known staple lines, with men's, boys' and children's shoes of every size and style. Full fashioned women's stockings in the newest Spring colors, and men's silk and wool socks will also be added in the near future.

Mr. Munday said yesterday that the Spring style in young men's shoes would include broad toes and fancy stitching with trimmings of alligator and other reptile skins. Ladies' shoes will have moderately high heels, and will be fabricated mostly of suede, in colors of black and briarwood. Corrective shoes in stylish patterns for those who suffer from foot troubles, yet wish to keep in style, will also be featured.

When asked what was the average size foot among ladies of the city, Mr. Munday tactfully mentioned that size five was the best seller, while the men's pedal extremities usually reposed in size eight shoes.

First Market Control Act Fight Dismissed

KAMLOOPS, Jan. 20.—The Mah Chong case, first court fight in connection with the Market Control Act, came to an abrupt close in County Court, when C. H. Dunbar, counsel for the Committee of Control, asked and obtained from Judge Swanson an order for costs against Chong when the appeal was forced to the ground for non-prosecution. A. C. Skalling defended Mah Chong, who was not present.

Mah Chong was arrested because he shipped potatoes without a licence last Fall. He was allowed out on bail and, appearing before Stipendiary Magistrate E. Fisher, was fined $50 and costs. He appealed and, on return of the appeal at the December court, it was adjourned to the January court.

Imperial Engagement Formally Announced

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—A cablegram was received at the Japanese Consulate Thursday from the Foreign Office, Tokio, stating that on November 18, the Imperial sanction was given to the proposed marriage between Prince Chichibu, younger brother of the present Emperor, and Setsu-ko Matsudaira, niece of Viscount Matsudaira.

The Consul states further that Setsu-ko Matsudaira is a daughter of Mr. Tsuneo Matsudaira, who at the present time is the Japanese Ambassador at Washington. There have been recent rumors of the engagement, but this is the first official information regarding the matter.

We can't all be heroes, but most of us can at least avoid being zeros.

Finance and Commerce

STOCK PRICES GOING UPWARD

TRADING STARTS AT SLOW PACE BUT GATHERS MOMENTUM AS HOURS PASS

U.S. Steel Advances to 148—Independent Steels Expected to Show Good Earnings

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Stock prices today made further progress along the road to recovery. Trading started off at a slow pace but gathered momentum as the session progressed. U.S. Steel advanced to 148 in reflection of the recent increase in commodity prices. A brisk demand also developed for some of the independent steels, which have met the steel corporation's increase and are expected to show good first quarter earnings. Republic moved up 2¼, but lost half of its gain. Mack Trucks, Chrysler, Graham-Paige and Willys-Overland preferred moved up a point or two.

General Motors appeared to meet selling resistance, advancing fractionally to 133⅞. Adams Express jumped another 5 points to 240 as against the year's low of 195. International Match preferred was heavily bought, rising 4½ to within a point of the record high. American Express, Austin-Nichols preferred, A. M. Byers City Stores B, International Business Machines, G. R. Kinney, Macy & Co., Montana Power, National Biscuit, National Lead and Westinghouse Electric, all closed 3 to 10 points higher.

Foreign exchanges were reactionary. Japanese yen broke 25 points to 46.64. But most of the other losses were nominal. Sterling 4.87⅝. Slight tightening of time money rates was reflected in a further sharp falling in the volume of trading in bonds today. Prices generally kept an even course only outstanding changes being recorded in issues which for one reason or another were looked upon as bargains.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	117	116	117
Allied Chemical	155-8	154-7	155
Amerada Corpn.	32	31-4	31-4
Am. Can.	72-3	71-6	72-3
Am. Car & Fdy.	108-2	106	108-2
Am. For Power	37	34-5	35-7
Am. Locomotive	110-5	110-5	110-5
Am. Smelters	175-7	175	175-6
Am. Steel Fdy.	67-3	66-4	67-1
Am. Sugar	59-4	59-2	59-3
Am. Sum. Tob.	83	81-7	81-7
Am. Tel. & Tel.	179-7	179-1	179-7
Am. Tobacco	168	167	160
Am. Tobacco B.	169-3	167-4	169-3
Am. Woolens	23	23	23
Anaconda	55-4	55	55
Armour A	13	12-7	12-7
Ass'd Dry Goods	49-4	49-2	49-2
Atlantic Gulf	42-7	42-5	42-7
Atlantic Refinery	109	107	109
Atchison	193-5	191-6	192-5
Baldwin Loco	250	250	250
Baltimore & Ohio	115-2	114-4	115-2
Bensor & Ar'at'k	79-2	78-4	79-2
Bethlehem Steel	59-2	57-9	58
Brooklyn Manhat	56-4	55-9	56-2
California Packing	75-4	75-2	75-4
California Pete	26-7	26-2	26-4
Calumet & Ariz	107-7	104-6	106
Canadian Pacific	207-6	206-4	207-6
Cerro De Pasco	66-3	65-7	65-7
Certain-teed Prod	59-5	59	59-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	199-6	197-2	199-6
Chile Copper	40-7	40-1	40-5
Chic. Gt. Western	12-1	12	12-1
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	17-5	17-4	17-4
Chic. & Northwest	84-4	84-4	84-4
Chic. R I & Pac	110-4	110	110
Chrysler Motor	59-3	57-6	59
Coca Cola	135-8	135	135-4
Congoleum-Nairn	27-1	26-6	26-7
Colo. Fuel & Iron	78-6	77-6	78-4
Columbia Gas, ex div.	91-9	91	91-2
Cons. Gas	124	123-3	123-2
Cont. Oil	20-4	20-4	20-4
Cont. Motor	11-4	10-4	11-4
Corn Products	68-5	67-3	68-3
Crucible Steel	88-6	88	88
Curtiss Aero	82-6	80-3	82-8
Davison Chemical	43-3	42-8	43-2
Dodge Bros.	20	19-1	20
Dodge Bros. pfd	70-8	69-8	70
Dupont Powder	318-8	314-6	314-7
Eastman Kodak	163-7	163-9	163-6
Elec. Power	34-2	33-4	33-4
Elec. Refrigerator	11-7	11-8	11-7
Erie	62	61-4	62
Famous Players	113-2	113-4	113-2
Foundation Co.	40-6	40-0	40-6
Fox Film A	86-7	86-2	86-2
Fleischmann Co.	70-1	69-3	70-1
Freeport, Texas	104-3	102-9	103-4
Gabriel Snubbers	35-3	35-2	35-3
General Am. Tank	63-4	62-4	63-1
General Asphalt	90-3	89-3	89-8
General Cigar	82	82	83
General Electric	133	132-2	132-9
General Motors	134	133	133-3
General Ry. Signal	121-7	130-3	121
Gold Dust	73-7	73-4	73-4
Goodrich Rubber	90-3	89-7	89-7
Granby	40-2	40-2	40-2
Great North. Ore	23-5	23	23-4
Great North. pfd	95-6	95-9	95-6
Gt. West Sugar	35-1	34-7	35-1
Greene Cananea	138	135-1	137-8
Gulf States Steel	53	53	53
Houston Oil	36-7	36-3	36-4
Howe Sound	42-7	42-3	42-3
Hudson Motor	80-6	78-6	80-2
Hupp Motors	35-7	33-4	35-3
Illinois Central	133-7	133	133-7
Imperial Oil	91-2	90-6	61-2
Inspiration	19-6	19-5	19-9
Int. Comb. Eng.	52-2	51-2	52-1
Int. Harvester	239-2	238-7	239-2
Int. Match pfd.	107-4	103	107-4
Int. Paper	72-5	69-4	72
Int. Pete	39-1	38-1	39-1
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd.	43-4	43-1	43-2
Int. Nickel	95-6	93-4	95-4
Int. Tel. & Tel.	147-6	145-7	147
Johns Manville	115	114-4	114-5
Kan. City South	60-4	60	60
Kennecott Copper	82-1	81	82-1
Lehigh Valley	94-5	94	94-4
Louis. & Nash	148-2	148-3	149-2
Mack Truck	103-4	101-5	102-4
Manhattan Elec	53	51	52
Marland Oil	36-7	39-2	36-4
Marlin-Rockwell	49-1	49-1	48-1
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	28-4	28-2	28-2
Miss. Pacific	50-6	50-8	50-6
Miss. Pac. pfd.	112	111-6	111-7
Montana Power	117-6	113-4	116-4
Montgomery Ward	121	119-7	120-7
Nash Motors, ex-div.	81	90	80-4
National Biscuit	166-2	165	166-2
Natl. Cash Reg.	47-4	47-2	47-2
Natl. Dairy Prod.	71-4	70-3	71-2
N.Y. Air Brake	43	43	43
Norfolk & West	186-4	186	186-4
North American	81-1	80-4	80-7
Northern Pacific	95-7	95-6	95-6
N.Y. Central	161-4	161	161-1
N.Y., N.H. & Hart	62-3	61	62-3
N.Y. Ont. & West	29-2	29	29-2
Packard Motor	58-2	57-5	58
Pan American B	44-1	42-3	43
Pennsylvania R.R.	65-4	64-8	64-8
Pere Marquette	121	121	121
Phillips Pete	42-3	41-9	41-6
Pierce Arrow	13-7	11	11-2
Producers & Ref.	25	24-5	25
Pullman Co.	82-6	82-2	82-8
Radio	89-4	88-2	88-7
Reading	102	101-2	101-5
Rep. Iron & Steel	85-2	84-1	84-4
Royal Dutch	44-7	44-5	44-7
Schultz	53-1	52-4	52-8
Sears Roebuck	84-7	83-4	84-9
Shattuck-Denn	9	8-3	9
Shell Union	29	25-5	25-5
Simmons Co.	63-4	63-2	63-4
Sinclair Cons.	20-7	20-4	20-4
Southern Pacific	121	120-8	121
Southern Railway	144-2	144	144-3
Standard Milling	104-8	103	104-1
Standard Gas	59-4	59-3	59-2
Standard Oil, Cal.	55	54-7	55
Standard Oil, N.J.	39-6	38-5	39-5
Standard Oil, N.Y.	30-4	30-1	30-2
Standard Oil, Ind.	78-1	78-1	78-1
Stewart Warner	81	81	81
St. Louis & S. Fran.	114-3	114	114
Stromberg Carb.	50-1	50-1	50-1
Studebaker	50-6	58-1	58-2
Texas Co.	54-1	53-7	54
Texas Gulf Sulphur	77-2	75-8	76-2
Texas Pacific R.R.	107	105-2	107
Tex. Pac. C. & O.	15-6	15	15-1
Timken Roller	130	128-4	130
Tobacco Prod.	109-6	108-1	109
Union Oil of Calif.	44-4	44-2	44-4
Union Pacific	190	189-7	180
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	220-2	215	210-3
U.S. Ind. Alco	105-2	104	104-4
U.S. Rubber	60-3	59-4	59-6
U.S. Steel	148-4	147-2	148-1
Underwood Typ.	70-9	69	70-6
Union Carbide	141-4	140-8	141
Universal Pipe	25-4	24-3	25-2
Vanadium	65-2	63-8	65
Victor Talk. Mach.	55-4	50-1	55-1
Wabash	64-2	64-2	64-2
Westing. Air Brake	51-2	50-2	51-2
Westing. Elec.	96-4	93	96-4
White Motor	39	37-4	37-5
Willys-Overland	18-5	19-2	18-5
Woolworth	185	184	185
Wright Aer. Cpn.	84-3	80-8	83-7
Yale Towne	75	75	75
Y'gston Sh. & Tu.	99-4	99	98-2
Yel. Tr'k & Coach	34-1	33-8	33-7

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Foreign exchanges easy.
France—3.92¾; cables 3.92.
Italy—5.28½; cables 5.29.
Belgium—13.65.
Germany—23.78¾.
Holland—40.29¾.
Norway—26.81½.
Sweden—26.83.
Denmark—26.77.
Switzerland—19.28.
Spain—17.11½.
Greece—1.32½.
Poland—11.35.
Czechoslovakia—2.96.
Jugoslavia—1.76½.
Austria—14.10.
Rumania—62.
Argentine—42.75.
Brazil—12.00.
Tokio—46.94.
Shanghai—63.62½.
Montreal—99.81¾.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Demand 489 15-16; cables 487¾; sixty-day bills on banks 483½.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 486¾; selling 489¼.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Alta. Pacific Grain	66	58	66
Abitibi	154-4	152-4	154
Asbestos	34	33	33-3
Asbestos pfd.	92-4	93-4	93-4
Atlantic Sugar	24-3	33	24-3
Bell Telephone	160	160	160
Brazilian Trac.	218-1	215-6	215-7
B.C. Fish. & Pack.	12	19-4	13
Brompton Paper	59	55-2	58
Can. Bronze	79-4	78	78-4
Can. Celanese com.	74	73	74
Can. Celanese pfd.	89-2	89-2	88-2
Can. Cement com.	32	32	33
Can. Car Fdy. com.	47	47	47
Can. Car Fdy. pfd.	93	93	93
Can. S.S. com.	33	33	33
Can. S.S. pfd.	83-4	80	80
Can. Cottons	140	148	140
Can. Converters	105	105	106
Can. Ind. Alcohol	37-7	38-4	36-4
Cons. M. & S.	292	282	262
Dominion Bridge	73-4	72-4	73-4
Dominion Glass	134	134	134
Dominion Textile	132	130-4	132
Dryden Paper	41	40-2	40-4
Howard Smith	91-4	81-4	81-4
Lake of Woods Mls.	171	170	171
Laurentide Co.	130-8	130	130
Mackay Co.	115	115	115
Massey Harris	42	41-1	41-1
McColl Frontenac	32	31-8	31-6
Montreal Power	92-4	83-4	92-4
National Breweries	113-8	113-4	112-4
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	415	415	415
Penmans Ltd.	104-3	104	104
Shawinigan	82-4	81-4	81-7
Spanish River Pulp	151	151	151
Span. River Pulp pfd.	137	139	137
Steel of Canada	184-7	184-8	184-7
Winnipeg Elec.	109	107-4	109
B.C. Fish. pfd.	94	64	64

Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.30	..
Dunwell Mines	.39	..
Glacier Creek		.10
Gladstone	.14	.18
Goldsmith	.10½	..
Granby	41.00	..
Howe Sound	42.00	..
Independence Gold	.17	.20
Indian Mines	.07	..
International Coal	.24	..
L. & L. Glacier	.17½	..
Lakeview	.03	.05½
Leadsmith	.05¾	.06¾
Malaspina	.20	.35
Marmot Metals	.19	.22
National Silver (G.S.)	.28	.20
Porter-Idaho	.85	
Premier Gold	2.50	3.00
Richmond	.22	.30
Rufus	.19	.21
Ruth Hope	.74	.80
Silverado		1.50
Silver Crest	.08½	.10
Silversmith	.25	.29
Sunloch		5.00
Terminus	.10	.20
Coast Copper	50.00	
George Copper	4.40	5.00
Kootenay F.	.42	.48
Georgia River	.80	1.00
MISCELLANEOUS		
B.C. Telephone	105.00	
B.C. Electric, P. & G.	106.00	
Sidney Roofing	100.00	102.00
Caufield Stocker		15.00
Slocan King	.13	.19
Golconda	1.35	1.50
LOCAL CURB STOCKS		
Argenta		.25
Big Missouri	.95	1.50
Whitewater	2.25	

SALES

300 Dunwell at .35½; 300 at .35; 1,000 at .35; 5,000 Goldsmith at .70; 500 Independence at .19; 500 at .18; 1,000 Int. C. & C. at .36; 1,000 L. & L. at .19; 1,000 Malaspina at .15; 10,000 at .20; 1,000 at 19½; 300 at .19½; 1,000 Marmot at .18½; 1,000 at .30; 1,000 at .19½; 10,000 at .30; 500 at .30½; 500 Porter-Idaho at .56; 300 Premier at 2.75; 500 at 3.75; 1,900 at 3.75; 1,000 at 3.15; 1,000 at 3.50; 100 Richmond at .23; 1,000 at .22; 1,000 Rufus at .21; 500 at .20; 1,000 Ruth Hope at .68; 1,050 at .70; 300 at .75; 500 Selkirks at .04½; 11 Silverado at 1.30; 1,000 Silversmith at .08½; 100 George Copper at 4.35; 50 at 4.40; 25 at 4.49; 1,000 Kootenay F. at .41; 250 at .45; 10 Caufield Stocker at 16.25; 5 at 16.35; 1,000 Slocan King at .15½; 1,000 Golconda at 1.27; 100 at 1.30; 200 at 1.30; 100 at 1.35; 1,000 at 1.35; 300 at 1.35; 1,000 Cork Province at .41; 200 Georgia River at .90; 200 at .80.

NEW YORK CURB

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INDUSTRIALS

	Bid	Asked
Centrifugal	11½	12
Checker Cab	08	12
Durant Del.	.10	10½
Mesabi	02¾	03
Stutz	16½	17½
Tob. Prod. Ex.	03¼	03¾
Un. Profit Shar.	09¾	10½
Un. Retail Candy	06	06¼
Cities Serv., com.	54⅞	55⅛
Cities Serv., pfd.	94½	94⅝
Cities Serv., Bkrs.	27¼	28
Am. Gas El.	1.21¾	1.32½
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	21¾	21½
OILS		
Carib.	20½	21
Federal	19	19¼
Int. Pete	39	39¼
Marl Mex.	01½	02
Mexico Oil	37	43
Cont. Oil	20¼	20¾
Pennock Oil	08	09½
Ryan Cons.	05½	05¾
Salt Cr. Prod.	33½	33¾
Wilcox	23⅝	23½
Conley Tinfoil	11⅝	11½
Mount. Prod.	27½	27⅝
MINES		
Ariz. Globe	.03	.04
Butte & West	01	05
Cons. Copper	05⅞	05½
Creason	01⅞	02
Delores	47	50
Eureka	03	04
Hecla	17½	17⅝
Hollinger	17¼	18½
J. V. Dev.	20	25
Kerr Lake	42	58
Mason Valley	01¼	01½
Nipissing	05½	05¾
Ohio Copper	.99	1.00
Teck Hughes	10½	10¾
Un. Eastern	51	55
Un. Verde Ex.	23¼	23⅝
Newmont	1.53	1.64¾

TORONTO MINES

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	Bid	Asked
Amulet	5.35	..
Argonaut Cons.	.37	..
Atlas Gold	.04½	..
Barry Hollinger	1.06	..
Bidgood Cons.	1.06	..
Crown Reserve	.58	..
Goldale	.42	..
Granada Rouyn	.29	..
Kirkland Lake	2.42	..
Hunton	.24	..
Macassa	.48½	..
Kootenay Florence	.40	..
Mining Corpn.	5.10	..
Potter Dalton	.19	..
Premier	3.25	..
Teck Hughes	8.80	..
Tough Oakes	.67	..
Vipond Cons.	.97	..
Bedford	.48	..
Federal Kirkland	.71	..
Jackson Manion	.80	..
McDougall	.55	..
Noranda	21.85	..
Sudbury Basin	14.00	..
Howey	1.67	..
San Antonio Man.	.44	..

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 6's, 1957	100¼	100½
Austrian 7's, 1943	103⅝	103⅞
Belgium 7's, 1955	107¼	107½
Chile 6's, 1960	83½	84
French 7's, 1949	106¼	106½
French 7½'s, 1941	119½	119¾
French 8's, 1945	110⅜	110⅝
German 7's, 1949	102⅞	102⅞
Italy 7's, 1951	99⅛	99⅜

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—Cheese, steady; butter, firm; and eggs, unchanged.

Cheese—Finest westerns, 19¼c.

Butter—No. 1 Pasteurized, 35¾c to 38c.

Eggs—Storage extras, 42c; firsts, 39c; seconds, 32c; fresh extras, 50c; firsts, 46c.

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Whitney Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 20—How far the rally will run in the general list and what time will be occupied by it are at the moment indiscernible factors, but I believe you will appreciate that there has been but little money to be made on the short side over the last ten days and that the issues recommended here have declined only fractionally, if at all, in addition to which they represent the candidates for the next advance.

Uncertainty as to what policy the federal reserve banks are contemplating during the next few weeks will, of course, consitute a weight upon the present market and selling of securities by the system has truly added a note to the longer term outlook which is capable of none too optimistic an interpretation. At the same time, I believe, the purpose for which this selling was done, namely, the toning down that promised to become excessive speculation, has been accomplished without using the more severe method at its disposal in the form of an actual increase in the rediscount rate and to that extent feel that we may rest assured that the rate is safe at present levels for at least a reasonable period ahead. I expect a better market today with short covering restricted to the point where more permanence will be given to the advance than if it came too quickly.

In quiry has disclosed a tendency to assume short position in some obviously unsuitable mediums, and I would warn against this side being taken on Freeport Texas, Baldwin, Montgomery Ward, Radio, Fox Films, Business Machines, Coco Cola and International Nickel. You may not care about carrying them, but don't sell them short. With 1928 to be a good metals year, the buying in Cal and Hecla on the exchange and Carnegie Metals, whose property adjoins Greene Cananea, the latter on the curb is worth following. Utilities are headed upward and continue to purchase American Foreign Power, Consolidated and Columbia.

WINNIPEG CASH GRAINS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

Wheat—1 N., 146¼; 2 N., 138⅝; 3 N., 123⅞; No. 4, 112⅜; No. 5, 99⅜; No. 6, 90⅜; feed, 83¼; track, 137⅛.

Oats—2 C.W., 63¾; 3 C.W., 58⅝; extra 1 feed, 59⅝; 1 feed, 56¼; 2 feed, 54; rejected, 52⅝; track, 63¼.

Barley—3 C.W., 84⅞; 4 C.W., 82⅝; rejected, 81⅝; feed, 80⅛; track, 85½.

Flax—1 N.W., 185⅛; 2 C.W., 181½; 3 C.W., 163½; rejected, 159⅛; track, 185⅛.

Rye—1 C.W., 104⅝; track, 104⅝.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—Wheat quotations:

	Spot	En route
No. 1 Northern	149⅜	148⅛
No. 2 Northern	141½	141½
No. 3 Northern	127⅞	127⅛
No. 4 wheat	118⅛	118⅜
No. 5 wheat	108⅛	107⅜
No. 6 wheat	98½	97⅜
Feed	93⅛	93⅜

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 20.—Wheat—The local wheat market was very quiet during the first fifteen minutes this morning, with prices ⅛ lower, but numerous buying orders commenced drifting in from Chicago and prices advanced ¾ cent rather rapidly, the May futures touching 151⅛. On this bulge the pool commenced selling wheat, and after the demand was filled up, prices eased off fractionally. The market was active for about one hour, being very dull the balance of the session with practically nothing going on. However, there was no selling outside of that done by the pool, and they let up when the demand became satisfied. Exporters appeared to be out of the market although the pool claimed to have worked a moderate amount overnight. The buying today was largely for Chicago account with some local shorts covering based on the cold temperatures over Winter wheat territory this morning, with the danger of extensive Winter killing owing to the lack of snow covering, while general conditions are too dry. Chicago market was stronger than Winnipeg all day making a new advance in the late trading, which pulled Winnipeg up into new highs near the close. The local cash market was very dull and without feature. Offerings very small and spreads quarter better to half lower on the toughs and lower grades. Canadian mills doing nothing. Direct exporters reported a small business overnight.

Coarse grains—There was a fair export demand and for barley, but very little doing in oats today. Oats are tightly held, and there is very little coming out for sale. Barley unchanged. Rye in the nearby month was very strong, largely in sympathy with the upturns in outside markets. There was a little export business reported in rye, but the volume was only small.

Flax—This market was steady with a very light trade passing. No feature.

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov.	108.20	106.45
1937, 1st June & Dec.	110.50	110.73
WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE		
1921, 1st Apr. & Oct.	102.50	103.75
1927, 1st Mar. & Sept.	108.30	108.55
(Payable New York)		
VICTORY LOAN, 5½%		
1932, 1st May & Nov.	104.20	104.45
1934, 1st May & Nov.	105.55	105.85
DOMINION LOAN		
1929, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	100.50	100.75
1943, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5%	105.95	109.10
1940, 1st Mar. & Sept., 4½%	102.40	102.95
1944, 15th Apr. & Oct., 4½%	102.90	102.85
1949, 1st Feb. & Aug., 4½%	102.00	102.85
1954, 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%	Mkt.	
1957, 1st Jan. & July (C.N.R.), 4½%	Mkt.	

Add accrued interest to date—
1937, 50 days, .753 per $100.
1932, 1933, 1934, 80 days, 1.205 per $100.
1929, 1943, 97 days, 1.328 per $100.
1944, 97 days, 1.195 per $100.
1946, 172 days, 2.130 per $100.
Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans ⅛ of 1%.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, Jan. 20.—Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were:

	Bid	Asked
Bayview	.07⅛	.07⅞
Big Missouri	1.40	1.75
Coast Copper	54.50	60.00
Cork Province	.40	.41
Gladstone	.15	.15½
Independence	.38	
Indian Mines	.07⅞	
L. & L.	.25	
Leadsmith	.09½	.07
Marmot	.19½	.19¾
National Silver	.20½	.20
Premier	3.15	
Ruth Hope	.71	.75
Selkirks		.05
Silver Crest	.09	.10
Silversmith		.28
Standard Silver Lead	.18	.20
Sunloch	4.65	4.75
Terminus	.26½	.29
British Petroleum	.95	.84
Woodbine	.68½	.70
Pend Oreille	10.00	10.25
Whitewater	2.35	2.40
Kootenay F.	.47	
Slocan King	.15	.17
Rufus	.33½	
Argenta	.22½	
Silverado		1.80

MORNING SALES

3,000 Glacier at .06; 1,000 Marmot Metals at .19¼; 5,500 at .19½; 2,000 at .18¾; 1,000 at .19¾; 2,000 at .18½; 80,000 Selkirks at .04⅛; 15,000 at .04⅝; 65,000 at .04⅞; 16,000 at .05; 5,000 (B-90) at .05½; 500 Silver Crest at .08½; 1,000 at .09½; 1,000 at .08¾; 1,000 at .09; 21,000 at .09½; 3,000 Silversmith at .27½; 2,500 at .28; 500 Richmond at .22; 5,000 National Silver (G.S.) at .37; 4,000 at .28; 140 George Copper at 4.50; 310 at 5.00; 100 at 5.25; 1,200 Home Oil at 3.10; 300 at 3.12; 2,000 Golconda at 1.20; 500 at 1.21; 3,300 at 1.25; 1,600 at 1.26; 1,008 Argenta at .22½; 1,200 at .33; 400 Kootenay Florence at .40; 1,000 at .47; 21,000 at .47½; 15,000 at .48; 10,700 at .50; 5,000 Woodbine at .89; 1,500 at .69½; 5,500 at .70; 1,500 at .74; 21,700 at .75; 1,700 Big Missouri at .44; 200 at .77; 400 at .80; 200 at 1.00; 1,000 at 1.20; 1,600 at 1.22; 5,500 at 1.30; 3,400 at 1.50; 500 at 1.90; 300 at 1.85; 3,000 Bayview at .87½; 5,000 at .07⅝; 5,000 at .07⅞; 35,000 at .08; 1,000 Cork Province at .36; 8,000 at .39; 7,000 at .39½; 10,000 at .40; 2,000 Independence at .35; 10,000 at .38; 4,000 at .37; 8,000 at .27⅞; 12,500 at .39; 11,000 Gladstone at .15; 4,000 (B-80) at .16; 2,200 Indian at .08; 4,000 Rufus at .22; 1,000 National Silver (G.S.) at .28¼; 1,000 at .30; 9,000 Ruth Hope at .70; 800 at .72; 7,500 at .75; 3,000 L. & L. at .22; 2,000 at .25; 4,000 at .20; 1,000 at .30; 61,000 at .20; 3,000 at .31; 1,000 Terminus at .25; 3,000 (B-80) at .26; 1,000 Glassair at .30; 500 at .31; 500 at .31⅛; 500 at .32; 2,500 Cotton Belt at 1.20; 1,000 Sunloch at 4.50; 200 at 4.55; 130 at 4.60; 200 at 4.65; 1,00 at 4.70; 1,315 at 4.75; 1,020 at 4.80; 100 at 4.85; 200 at 4.90; 11,010 Pend Oreille at 10.00; 100 at 10.05; 50 at 10.15; 100 (B-90) at 10.25; 2,900 Silverado at 1.60; 2,500 at 1.65; 100 at 1.70; 5,100 Whitewater at 2.30; 100 at 2.32; 500 at 2.33; 200 at 2.34; 1,000 (B-80) at 2.35; 3,500 at 2.35; 1,800 Premier at 2.15; 1,200 at 3.20; 1,000 at 3.40; 500 at 3.50.

AFTERNOON SALES

6,000 Marmot at .19; 200 Premier (B-60) at 3.10; 1,000 at 3.15; 100 at 3.25; 500 (B-60) at 3.35; 11,100 Porter-Idaho at .85; 1,000 at .80; 500 Ruth Hope at .94; 200 at .65; 500 at .67; 1,000 at .89; 200 at .75; 70,000 Silversmith at .28½; 1,000 Standard Silver at .20; 500 Terminus at .29; 900 at .27; 20,000 National Silver (G.S.) at .29; 8,000 at .22; 1,000 Sunloch at 4.60; 4,300 Sunloch at 4.95; 1,000 Big Missouri at .55; 1,000 at .59; 1,100 at .55; 950 at .80; 200 at 1.25; 500 Home Oil at 2.10; 4,000 Argenta at .28; 500 Whitewater at 2.35; 200 at 2.37; 1,400 at 2.40; 2,100 at 2.41; 100 at 2.42; 150 Pend Oreille at 9.75; 150 at 9.80; 300 at 9.90; 5,000 Kootenay F. at .48; 2,000 at .48½; 5,000 at .47; 1,000 at .47½; 500 (B-60) at .48; 1,000 at .49; 2,000 Cork Province at .39½; 1,000 Glassair at .31; 2,000 at .32½; 1,000 Silver Crest at .09½; 5,000 at .10; 19,000 L. & L. at .27; 3,500 at .28; 2,000 Leadsmith at .06¾; 1,000 Lucky Jim at .37; 500 at .37½; 2,500 at .38; 1,000 Bayview at .99; 47,000 at .08¼; 500 at .09½; 7,800 Lakeview at .04½; 8,000 at .04½; 3,000 at .05; 780 Golconda at 1.20; 2,000 at 1.25; 15,000 Independence at .20; 2,000 at .21; 1,000 at .22; 1,000 at .23; 18,000 at .24; 1,500 at .24½; 1,000 Slocan King at .19; 1,000 Rufus at .26; 1,000 at .27; 5,000 at .28; 1,000 at .27; 300 Woodbine at .88; 1,000 at .70; 5,000 Selkirks at .04⅞; 1,000 at .06; 76,000 at .05⅞.

Gold Bullion

TORONTO, Jan. 20.—At a meeting of the directors of the Kirkland Lake Gold Mining Company, Limited, here today, a report of the operations showed that $475,000 gold bullion was produced during 1927 and that a good cash balance to the company's credit is on hand.

Stock Exchange To Close Today

ON account of the pressure of business on the Vancouver Stock Exchange, it has been decided to close the exchange today, to enable the staffs in the brokers' offices to complete the issue of certificates and other routine matters. This decision will not affect the Victoria Exchange.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Jan. 20. — Standard copper, spot £61 15s; futures, £61 12s 6d. Electrolytic, spot, £66 10s; futures, £67. Tin, spot, £250 2s 6d; futures, £248 15s. Lead, spot, £21 15s; futures, £22 5s. Zinc, spot and futures, £26 2s 6d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Copper, steady. Electrolytic, spot and futures, 14.00 to 14.12. Tin, firm; spot and nearby and March, 55.00. Iron, steady, unchanged. Lead, spot New York, 6.50; East St. Louis, 6.35. Zinc, spot and futures, 5.60 to 5.62. Antimony, spot, 10.87.

Wholesale Row

(Revised January 20, 1928)

EGGS		
Fresh Extras, doz.		.32
Fresh Firsts, doz.		.31
Pullets, Extras, doz.		.29
BUTTER		
Best, cartons		.42
Prints		.40
Dairy solids		.40
Dairy prints		.37
CHEESE		
B.C. large, lb.		.31½
B.C. Twins, lb.		.32
B.C. Triplets, lb.		.28½
Alberta solids, lb.		.28
Ontario Stiltons, lb.		.36
Ontario solids, lb., new		.33
Ontario Twins, lb.		.33½
Ontario Triplets, lb., new	.34	.30
Ontario Stiltons, Sept. make, lb.		.29
LARD		
Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb.		.17
Compound—Tierces basis, per lb.	.17	.19½
MEAT		
Beef, No. 1 Steers		.18
Beef, No. 1 Cows		.15½
Lamb		.31
Lard	.18	.20½
Veal	.16	.21
Bacon		.29
Mutton		.22
Hams	.28	.30
Chickens	.33	.35
Fowl	.24	.28
Pork		.17
SUGAR		
B.C. Refinery—		
White, per hundred		8.45
Yellow, per hundred		5.85

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.48	$46.00
Gr. Barley	2.50	48.00
Corn	2.60	50.00
Cracked Corn	2.76	53.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.76	52.00
Oats	2.40	46.00
Oats, ground	2.50	48.00
Scratch Food	2.60	50.30
Poultry Mash	2.70	52.00
Marvo Egg Mash	3.00	54.00

FLOUR

	Per 98 49 lbs.
Snowflake	$3.00
Purity	3.00
B. & K. Flour	3.00
Five Roses	3.00
Maple Leaf	3.00
Royal Standard	3.00
B. & K. Pastry	2.20
Whole Wheat	2.30
Quaker Flour	3.00
Robin Hood	3.00
Robin Hood Whole Wheat	3.00

FRUIT		
MacIntosh Reds	2.38	2.78
MacIntosh Reds, orchard run		1.30
Local		
Local apples	1.66	2.00
Pears, Bosc		3.00
Pears, Anjou		3.75
Red Emperor Grapes		4.50
Bananas, uncrated		.10
Bananas, crated		.11
Cocoanuts, per doz.		1.00
Lemons, case	5.50	5.50
Oranges, case	7.00	9.50
Cal. Grapefruit		5.00
Cal. Raisins, case		3.00
Cal. Figs, box		1.45
Cal. Figs, packages	1.39 to	3.00
Fard Dates	1.34	2.75
VEGETABLES		
Beets, per sack		2.25
Cabbage, per lb.	.03	.03½
Carrots, per sack		1.00
Celery, doz.	1.50	1.75
Cauliflower, doz.	2.75	3.00
Lettuce, Cal.		M.P.
Onions		2.75
Ashcroft Potatoes		1.10
Dry Belt Gems		1.45
Turnips		1.25
Parsnips		1.00
Tomatoes, No. 1, per crate		M.P.
Tomatoes, No. 2, per crate		M.P.
Peppers, per lb.		.16
Sweet Potatoes	.08¼	.06
Potatoes	1.10	1.55

Retail Prices

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EGGS		
B.C. Firsts, Extras, doz.		.38
B.C. Firsts, doz.		.36
Pullets, doz.		.34
VEGETABLES		
Carrots, 3 bunches for		.05
Artichokes, Globe, each		.20
Cabbage, local, lb.	.18	.05
Cauliflower, per lb.		.05
Celery, head	.15	.20
Lettuce, per head		.10
Local Onions, 8 lbs. for		.25
Leeks, bunch		.05
Potatoes, 6 lbs. for		.29
Kamloops Netted Gems		1.85
Netted Gems, per sack		
Potatoes, sweet, 4 lbs. for		.25
Turnips, local, 8 lbs. for		.25
NUTS		
Almonds, per lb.		.39
Walnuts, per lb.	.35	.38
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.		.40
Brazils, new, per lb.		.30
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.		.15
Chestnuts, lb.		.30
Local Filberts, per lb.		.20
FRUIT		
Newton Pippins		3.00
Delicious		3.75
Spitzenburg		3.75
Russett		2.00
McIntosh Reds		3.00
Okanagan Reds		3.00
Cooking Apples		.20
Local Apples, 5 lbs. for		.25
Gravenstein Apples		.19
Crab Apples, 6 lbs. for		.25
Watermelon, per lb.		.05
Fresh Pineapples, each		.40
Texas Grapefruit, each		.19
Bananas, doz.	.40 and	
Lemons, Cal., doz.	.20, .25,	.50
Grapefruit, California, 3 for		.25
Honeydew Melons, each		.50
New Oranges, doz.	.30, .40,	.50
Dates, 2 lbs. for		.25
New California Figs, pkt.	.10	.15
Lb.		.20
New California Layer Figs, lb.		.30
Spanish Cluster Raisins, box		.60
California Cluster Raisins, box		.40
Cocoanuts, each		.20
Cantaloupes, .15; and 2 for		.25
FISH		
Bloaters, 3 lbs. for		.25
Halibut, per lb.		.20
Cod, per lb.		.20
2 lbs. for		.25
Cod Fillets, lb.		.25
Soles, lb.		.15
Skate, 2 lbs. for		.25
Finnan Haddies, lb.		.25
Fresh Herring, lb.		.15
Smelts, per lb.		.20
Salmon, red spring, per lb.		.30
Salmon, red, small, sliced, lb.		.20
2 lbs. for		.35
Salmon, white, 2 lbs. for		.25
Crabs	.20	.25
Golden Ray Fillets, per lb.		.25
Kippers, 3 lbs. for		.25
Flounders, per lb.		.10
Oysters, per doz.		.70
Olympia Oysters, per doz.		.50

HOME OIL CO. SEEKS SHARE OF BUSINESS

Western Canadian Capital Develops Oil Field in Turner Valley District of Alberta

PROMINENT MEN ARE STOCKHOLDERS

Lower Mainland and Vancouver Island Will Participate in New Series of Oil Stations

VANCOUVER, Jan. 21.—An announcement of great importance in the industrial history of Western Canada was made today by Mr. W. C. Shelly, president of the Home Oil Company, Limited, a concern which, backed entirely by Western Canadian capital has already entered the Alberta oil fields and is now operating producing wells in the Turner Valley district. The announcement

MR. W. C. SHELLY
President Home Oil Company Ltd.

covers a further step in the development of the resources of Western Canada by Western Canadian capital in its statement to the effect that the Home Oil Company will, through a subsidiary company, not only produce oil, but that it will also enter the field of refining and the marketing of its product in the form of gasoline, lubricating oil and all petroleum products. To carry out this plan the company has recently obtained control of the refinery plant of the Vancouver Oil Company Limited, in North Vancouver, and will distribute its products through a chain of about 150 independent gas stations on the Lower Mainland and Vancouver Island. With this as a nucleus the operations of the company will be gradually developed from time to time and extended to other parts of Western Canada. The subsidiary company under which the development operations will be carried out will be called the Home Oil Distributors, Limited, and the products will be marketed under the company's name. The head office of the company will be located in Vancouver, where quarters have been secured at 567 Burrard Street.

BEGINNINGS OF COMPANY

"I take honest pride," said Mr. Shelly, "in making the announcement of these development plans. For years I have been interested in the development of the resources of Western Canada. The history of the Home Oil Company, Limited, is an illustration of what I mean. Here a group of well known Western Canadians, of whom I am one, entered the Turner Valley oil field. It was in 1925 that we laid our plans and organized the company, and in March of the following year we started drilling operations. Fifteen months later, on June 9, 1927, to be exact, the well 'came in' at a depth of 4,560 feet. A flow of seven and a half million cubic feet per day of natural wet gas, carrying a substantial content of high grade crude oil was struck. The product was turned over to the Imperial Oil Company, of Toronto, which during the negotiations consented to carry on further drilling on the property and operate the producing well on a basis which is eminently satisfactory to the Home Oil shareholders. This arrangement was completed on September 2 last, and since that date the directors have been looking for further openings for their resources. Their decision to enter the distribution field is now announced."

"I am sure," said Mr. Shelly, "that Western Canadians will be interested in this movement of our company. It is a very significant step in the development of Western Canadian resources. It means that Western Canadian capital has not only brought in producing oil properties, but that this same capital is now behind the project to refine and distribute its products. The capital invested in both the parent company and its subsidiary organization is 100 per cent Western Canadian, the greater part of the money having been secured in British Columbia and Alberta. In this respect the work of the company and its development plans are, I believe, worthy of more than passing notice throughout British Columbia as well as all Western Canada."

LIST OF DIRECTORS

Among those interested in this latest development as announced by Mr. Shelly is Capt. J. W. Troup, a well known resident of Victoria, who will be one of the directors of the company. The list of directors co-operating with Mr. Shelly in the Home Oil Company embraces some of the best known business men in British Columbia, among them being Lieut.-Col. Nelson Spencer, vice-president; Messrs. C. V. Cummings, Stanley Burke, Maj.-Gen. J. W. Stewart, Messrs. W. H. Malkin, J. W. DeB. Farris and George Harrison, secretary. Shareholders in the company include Messrs. Pat Burns, of Calgary, E. P. Davis, W. J. Blake Wilson, Dr. B. D. Gillies, Messrs. Arthur J. Hendry, A. L. Hager, Maj.-Gene. A. D. McRae, Mr. A. R. Mann, Brig.-Gen. V. W. Odlum, Lieut-Col. Victor Spencer, Mr. Chris. Spencer, Major Austen C. Taylor, Messrs. J. H. Roaf, of Clayburn, James Ramsay, of Edmonton, and J. H. Woods, of Calgary.

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BUTTER AND EGG PRICES DECLINE

The egg quotations once more showed a slight decline in price, according to the local wholesalers dealing in dairy products. The decrease was small, being two cents in each case. The wholesale prices recorded were: Extras, 33; firsts, 31; and the pullet extras, 29 cents per dozen. Retail prices were as follows: Extras, 38; firsts, 36, and pullet extras, 34 cents a dozen. It is anticipated that the egg quotations will show an increase some time next week as the market is at its lowest ebb at present.

Butter prices showed a small decrease also, the first for several weeks. The drop being two cents in all brands of butter.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The decrease limiting the distribution of the Cuban crop to 4,000,000 tons, plus the carry over of 250,000 tons from last season, was signed by President Machado today. The distribution was fixed as follows: For the United States, 3,300,000 tons; Cuba consumption, 150,000 tons; export commission, 600,000 tons, and reserves 200,000 tons.

It was about in line with the general expectations, and had no effect on values. In the spot market no sales were reported and sugars were available at 4.46 for Cuban, duty paid, unchanged from the last previous sale.

The refined sugar market was unchanged at 5.80 for fine granulated, with only a moderate inquiry.

MONEY MARKETS

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Call money, steady; high, 4; low, 3½; ruling rate, 4; closing bid, 3½. Time loans firmer; 60-90 days, 4½ to 4¾; four-six months, 4⅝ to 4½; prime mercantile paper, 3¾ to 4.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Wheat: Domestic conditions asserted themselves in our market today, while Liverpool remained under the influence of southern hemisphere news. The weather continued cold and dry over the Southwest, with no prospect of relief immediately. There was good buying by houses with seaboard and foreign connections, while selling was against privileges and by houses with Northwest connections, the latter being credited with buying in the Northwest. The East took some wheat out of Minneapolis. Some short covering near the close ran prices up to the best of the day. Weather in the Southwest may dominate price trend temporarily.

Bookings of cash corn today were about 500,000, the heaviest on the crop and the cold wave over the belt was expected to increase movement to market materially. These factors induced selling of corn early, but the strength in wheat halted the decline and with short covering advanced prices. Best figures were not held, however, and the close was about at yesterday's level.

Oats held a strong undertone throughout, cash and commission houses being good buyers, while selling was chiefly by local longs.

Liverpool due 3-8 to 5-8 higher.

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
March	129⅝	131⅛	129⅝	131⅛
May	130⅝	132⅛	130⅝	131⅞
July	127⅛	128¼	127	128⅛
Corn—				
March	89½	90⅝	88⅝	89¼
May	91⅝	92⅝	91⅝	92
July	93	93⅝	93⅛	93¼
Oats—				
March	54⅝	55½	54⅞	55⅛
May	56⅛	56⅝	56	56⅝
July	53⅝	52⅝	52⅝	52⅞
Rye—				
March	109⅛	111	109⅛	111
May	109⅝	111	109⅛	110⅞

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Bar silver, 26⅛ per cent. Discount rates: Short bills and three months' bills, 4 to 4 1-16 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Bar silver, 56⅞. Mexican dollars, 43⅝.

"Now that you are married, I suppose you will take out an insurance policy?"

"Oh, no. I don't think she's going to be dangerous."

Important Notices, Employment, Business and Professional Directory, Wants, Etc.

The Daily Colonist

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2 DEATHS

ROSS—On January 19, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, there passed away Mrs. Annie Ross, beloved wife of Mr. James Ross, of 1127 Fort Street, aged forty-seven years and born in Manchester, England. The late Mrs. Ross is survived by her husband, three daughters, Bertha, at home, Mrs. J. R. Clark, of Wellington Avenue, City; Mrs. J. Moffat, of Seattle; and three sons, James, Joseph and Lorne, and two grandchildren.

The remains are reposing at Sands Funeral Parlors, from where the funeral will take place at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Interment will take place at Royal Oak Burial Park.

NISBET—On January 18, 1928, Philip Ross Nisbet, of 1115 Catherine Street, aged eighty-three years; born in North Sydney, Cape Breton, and a resident of Victoria for the past forty years.

Also

Catherine Oammal Nisbet, his wife, died January 19, 1928, aged eighty-four years, and born in North Sydney, Cape Breton. The deceased are survived by three daughters and five grandchildren.

The funerals will take place together, leaving Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel today (Saturday, January 21), at 2.15 p.m., proceeding to the Metropolitan Church, Pandora Avenue, where services will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Sipprell at 2.30 o'clock. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

6 FUNERAL DIRECTORS

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J. MORTIMER & SON—STONE AND monumental work. 720 Courtney St. Phone 5802.

STEWART'S MONUMENTAL WORKS, Limited. Office and yard, corner May and Eberts Street, near Cemetery. Phone 4817.

10 COMING EVENTS

A PROGRESSIVE BRIDGE PARTY WILL be held at the home of Capt. and Mrs. C. I. Harris, 356 Simcoe Street, on Wednesday, February 1, under the auspices of the S.O.S. Club, Queen City Chapter No. 5, Order of the Eastern Star. Tickets 50 cents each. For reservations please phone Mrs. W. P. Rankin, 4460L, or Mrs. J. T. Clarke, 4047R.

ANY HAVERGAL COLLEGE OLD GIRLS not notified of the luncheon for Miss Gainsby, on Monday, phone 1179R.

10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

ALEXANDRA HALL DANCE, SATURDAY night. Hunt's Orchestra. Admission 25c and 50c.

KNIGHTS AND DAMES OF THE Thistle—Meeting, January 21, in K. of P. Hall at 7 p.m. prompt. Burns supper following at 8 p.m.

PARTNER WHIST, A.O.F. HALL, MONday, 9 p.m. Good prizes. Admission 25 cents.

PARTNER WHIST AND DANCE, A.O.F. Hall, Saturday, January 21, 8.30 p.m. sharp. Ten good prizes. Admission 25c.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 21, 8.30 P.M., Eagles' Marching Club military five hundred, Eagles' Hall, Pandora Avenue and Douglas Street. Good prizes. Admission 25 cents.

8 P.M. SATURDAY, PARTNER WHIST and dance, S.O.E. Hall. First prize, 2 half tons coal; second prize, 2 sides bacon; third prize, 40 lbs. sugar; fourth prize, 30 lbs. sugar; fifth prize, 2 lbs. tea. Admission 25c.

13 WANTED—MALE HELP

ATTENTION, BIG $5 PRIVATE CHRISTmas card sample book free. Greatest imaginable demand this season for the celebrated inexpensive Royal Series. Secure orders now even in spare time; deliver later. Highest commission. Experience or capital unnecessary. Bradley-Garretson, Brantford, Ont.

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FINE SUIT FREE—WE WANT TO tailor a fine suit to your measure and send it to you. Show it to your friends and neighbors. Take orders at handsome cash profits. No capital or experience required. Free selling outfit. Mayfield Tailoring Co., Dept. B-45, Box 1795, Montreal, Canada.

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WANTED—GOOD MILKMAN FOR COWichan farm; single. Good references required. P. B. Pemberton, Pemberton Building.

WANTED—PRICE FOR DIGGING WELL 20 feet, Cordova Bay. Apply Box 6991 Colonist.

WANTED—BOY TO SELL MacLEAN'S Magazine. 910 Gordon Street.

WANTED—A YOUNG LAD WILLING to learn farming on a poultry and sheep farm. Box 6936, Colonist.

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$2 AN HOUR PROFIT AND FREE SUIT for men demonstrating our fine tailored-to-measure suits. We teach you the business and give you splendid selling equipment without charge. Hundreds of men earning big incomes in spare and full time. Write today for selling outfit and Free Suit Offer. Marfield Tailoring Co., Dept. A-43, Box 1795, Montreal, Quebec.

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WANTED—A NURSERY GOVERNESS. Apply Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, Langford Station P.O. Tel. Belmont 29L.

WANTED—5 YOUNG LADIES TO LEARN hairdressing; special reduced terms. Victoria Hairdressing College, 114 Woolworth Bldg.

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16 AGENTS WANTED

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78 **HOUSES FOR SALE**

A GOOD SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, NICE and clean. Lot 60 x 135, paved street; fruit trees; garage. Half block from Oak Bay car. $2,500. Phone 6375L.

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78 **HOUSES FOR SALE** (Continued)

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WE SPECIALIZE IN OAK BAY

A SURVEY of this desirable district has given us complete listings, and we are in a position to place before purchasers all Oak Bay houses that are at present on the market. This naturally saves much time to intending purchasers.

DALLAS AVENUE, close to Beacon Hill Park and beach. An excellent six-roomed bungalow, in sheltered position. Fine well-kept garden; convenient to car line. Only ... $4000

JAMES BAY — Fine five-roomed new STUCCO BUNGALOW, basement, furnace, garage, garden. Near beach and car line. Excellent location. ONLY (terms) ... $4000

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BARGAIN. Good eight-room house, in nice condition; garage; situated off Quadra, near Hillside car, on high ground. View of mountains. Easily worth $4,000. To settle estate will deliver for $3,150, reasonable terms.

YOU WILL BE CHARMED WITH THIS STUCCO BUNGALOW, superior finish, very well laid out, every convenience; SITUATION can hardly be surpassed, it is high up above city, AWAY FROM FOG, designed to get maximum of sunshine. There are 6 good rooms, full basement, garage and quarter-acre of land. See us for price and appointment to view.

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BEECHWOOD Avenue ... $250

MAY STREET, five lots each ... $600

LINDEN AVENUE, close to the sea, two lots, each ... $1000

VIMY STREET, five rooms, new stucco bungalow, full cement basement, furnace, garage, splendid garden ... $4400

OSCAR STREET, seven rooms, new stucco bungalow, central heat, garage in basement. Large lot, for ... $5000

A GOOD BUY in large three-room bungalow. Rooms are big; 3-piece bathroom, cement basement. Two lots, in garden; poultry run. COMPLETELY FURNISHED. Immediate possession. PRICE ($600 down, balance arranged to suit) ... $1800

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WE HAVE some very cheap acreage in this coming section, beautifully treed, and some rock. Now is the time to pick up a few acres for a nice homesite for the future.

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FAIRFIELD — FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, 3-piece bathroom, built-in features, cement basement, new furnace. Nice location. Price only $3,000.

FAIRFIELD — Five-room stucco semi-bungalow. Large lot; cement runway for garage. Cement basement; 3-piece bathroom. Price only $2,750.

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GOWARD, SIX-MILE CIRCLE, FRONTage on West Saanich Road (paved). Two acres and four-roomed bungalow, price $1,500; offers considered. Goodlake & Webb, 1008 Broad Street.

HEALTHY, HIGH LOCATION, UP-TO-date semi-bungalow of five rooms and Dutch kitchen; nice bright living-room with open fireplace, dining or breakfast-room, cheery kitchen, large pantry with cooler, flour bins, etc.; bedroom and bathroom with separate toilet. Upstairs there are two nice bedrooms and washroom. Wonderful view of city and mountains. For quick sale, $2,750, or furnished for $3,300. CROSS & CO.

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HERE IS A CHANCE TO OWN A HOME without buying it. A five-room bungalow, good location in Fairfield. Three bedrooms, open fire, full basement, and in good condition. $35 per month, including interest, secures this bungalow without any payment down. Price also reduced to $3,000. ACT QUICK.

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MODERN STUCCO BUNGALOW, containing living-room with open fireplace, kitchen, two bedrooms, modern bathroom, cement basement. Garage. All in good condition. Close to Haultain Street.

$2300

THE CITY BROKERAGE

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STRICTLY MODERN; MAGNIFICENT VIEW

PRICE $11,600

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FAIRFIELD

$2800 (TERMS) buys this lovely six-room semi-bungalow, close in and near car, in Fairfield. Greatly reduced for immediate sale. Large living-rooms, open fireplace, full basement; garage; good gardens. Easy terms.

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OAK BAY BUNGALOW, SOUTH OF Avenue, close to car. Five-room new stucco bungalow, large living-room, open fireplace; hallway, bright kitchen with breakfast nook; two bedrooms (large) with clothes cupboards, cement basement, furnace. Garage. Lot 50 by 120, nice garden. Blinds, rods and fixtures. Price $4,750.

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SEVEN ROOMS—OAK BAY WAY

ON a quiet, tree-studded street, very close to cars, we have a newly decorated house, with three bedrooms, fireplace, basement and furnace, framed in oak trees, high and dry, on a sixty-four-foot lot. One feature is a very large bedroom, with a wash basin and two cupboards. To close an estate, will sell at $3,150, terms if desired.

THE ROYAL TRUST CO

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THE BEST BUY TO BE HAD FOR $4,500. Walk by the southeast corner of South Turner and Niagara Streets. Look at the house—at the street—at Beacon Hill Park and the seafront close by; then let me show you through the house. It is as perfect as it left the builder's hands. J. C. Brideman, House Agent, 604 Broughton Street.

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VERY COMFORTABLE BUNGALOW, consisting of entrance hall, living-room, dining-room with open fire and built-in buffet, two bedrooms, 3-piece bath, kitchen, pantry, cooler, cement basement and hot air furnace. Garage in basement. Price $3,750.

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WARM AND COMPACT HOUSE, STANDING IN 16 ACRES, about half of which is in cultivation; containing two sitting-rooms, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, h. and c. water laid on; three bedrooms, two verandas. Barn, two chicken houses. Some fruit trees and garden around. Wide river frontage. Close to church, station, school and postoffice. Price $6,500.

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78 **HOUSES FOR SALE** (Continued)

WE WRITE ALL CLASSES OF INSURANCE, EXCEPTING LIFE

AN EIGHT-ROOM DWELLING WITH ABOUT 3½ ACRES

THIS desirable property is situated within the 1½-mile circle. The dwelling has all modern conveniences, is excellently arranged with great regard to "solid" comfort. Hot water heating. The acreage is nicely laid out with ornamental trees, flower beds, orchard, and vegetable garden; balance is in plough. There is a barn and outhouses. On a good paved main thoroughfare. Offered, on terms, at the very attractive price of ... $4950

WITHIN FEW MINUTES' WALK OF CENTRE OF CITY

A FIVE-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, close to park and car line. Attractively built, nicely situated and contains all modern conveniences, including garage. Pleasant grounds and a good stone fence. If five rooms are all you need you should see this little place. Price, on terms ... $3150

ANOTHER CLOSE-IN BUNGALOW, NEAR HIGH SCHOOL

WE have for immediate disposal a six-room bungalow, close to high and low schools, and one block from car line. Living-room with open fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, three bedrooms, separate bath and toilet; gas laid on, full cement basement and garage. Good size lot, lawn and kitchen garden. Price, on terms, only ... $2400

OAK BAY HOME, FACING THE SEA

A WELL-PLANNED, eight-room, very comfortable dwelling of late design, containing all desired conveniences. On a splendid lot, which faces east. Price, on terms ... $5500

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OAK BAY DISTRICT

WELL-BUILT AND ATTRACTIVE 8-ROOMED HOUSE. Contains living-room and den with open fireplaces; dining-room, pass pantry, kitchen and sewing or breakfast-room. Upstairs: Three bedrooms, large sleeping porch, bathroom and toilet. Hardwood floors downstairs and woodwork and plaster throughout in excellent condition. The many built-in bookcases, drawers and cupboards are a feature of the house. Garage and well laid out garden. Sheltered location, convenient for street car.

PRICE, ON TERMS, $7,500

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640 Fort Street

$2200—OAK BAY, SOUTH OF THE AVENUE. Six-room bungalow, three bedrooms, sun porch, bath and toilet separate; wash tubs in basement. Nice lot, close to car.

$4200—OAK BAY. Attractive six-room California bungalow, hardwood floors, hot water heating, every modern convenience. Splendid lot with oaks and ornamental trees, etc. Close to car.

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$300

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626 Yates Street Phone 874

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$4600—WONDERFUL VALUE—$5750

PRICED TO SECURE SALE

TWO SPLENDID STUCCO BUNGALOWS

Just completed. One has five rooms and the other six rooms. Hardwood floors, built-in bath and shower, laundry tubs, etc., in fact, every convenience to lighten the work of the housewife. Decorations and electrical fittings in taste.

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633 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

5-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW AND SUN porch, full cement basement, furnace, laundry tubs; all modern conveniences. Situate North Quadra Street. Lot 50 by 308 feet. Taxes only $20. Price $4,500, terms.

4 LARGE ROOMS, all modern, built-in features. Very attractive home, reduced price, $2,450, terms.

A. A. MEHAREY & CO.

Real Estate, Insurance, Stocks and Bonds
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$1100—TO CLOSE AN ESTATE WE are authorized to offer a nice four-room bungalow, in splendid condition, bath and toilet, septic tank, garage. Lot 66 by 132. This is close to bus and is a bargain.

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$8500—THIS splendid home, good lot, with trees, shrubs and flowers. High ground, fine view. Eight large rooms, entrance hall, hardwood floors downstairs; stone foundation; heated throughout with hot water. Lane at back. Garage. Terms can be arranged.

LEE, PARSONS & CO., LTD.

1222 Broad Street

$1,200—FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW WITH wide verandas. Good lot, with garage, etc. Terms.

$2,750—HIGH SITUATION, HILLSIDE, 7-room modern; basement, good garden lot. $200 cash, balance at $15 per month. F. P. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

8-ROOMED MODERN HOME, OVERlooking the Gorge waters, with four large bedrooms and 3-piece bathroom on second floor. Full-sized cement basement with extra toilet, hot air furnace and laundry tubs. Lot 120 x 150, laid out with ornamental trees and fruit trees. Has to be seen to be appreciated. Will sell for $7,000, or will trade for prairie farm land.

T. B. MONK & CO.

Suite 11, 613 View St. Phone 1970

78 **HOUSES FOR SALE** (Continued)

SNAP! SNAP!

$2100

AT BEAUTIFUL CADBORO BAY

4-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW; large living-room with open fireplace, two bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, up-to-date kitchen. Garage. This remarkable buy is situated on a ½-acre lot in a high position, and commands magnificent views of the sea and mountains. To all intents and purposes it is a waterfront property—no one can obstruct the view. Furniture is included at this price. Phone us. It will be a pleasure to take you out for an inspection.

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618 View Street Phone 3036

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1300 Government St. Phones 348-349

A BEAUTIFUL HOME

$7500—STANDING in its own grounds on a lot 150 by 110, this really attractive, well-planned home is near Brighton Avenue and has just been listed with us for sale on account of owner going to Europe. The rooms are large and the house and grounds are well kept up. From the spacious entrance hall is a handsome drawing-room, with beamed ceiling and granite fireplace, the dining-room, leading from pass pantry, has built-in buffet. There are three good bedrooms and the house is warm and easily heated. The den has open fireplace. This is a refined, comfortable home, and the price asked is excellent value. We recommend an early inspection. Furniture can be purchased if desired. Price (without furniture), $7,500.

$2600 — FIRST-CLASS FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, on a lot 100 by 132, just outside city limits; low taxes. House contains two good bedrooms, open fireplace in living-room. This is a desirable residential locality, on high ground, and is laid out in lawn and ornamental and fruit trees. Near a school. We consider this an exceptionally good buy.

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Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agents

Corner Government and View Streets
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OFF OAK BAY AVENUE

$3000—EXCEPTIONAL VALUE in a semi-bungalow of seven rooms, situated on very nice street, convenient to car. All conveniences, cement basement, furnace, etc. Large lot. This is one of our best buys and at present is rented at $35 per month to good tenant. Terms arranged.

SUBURBAN HOME

EIGHT ROOMS; ONE ACRE GROUNDS

$4750—CHARMINGLY situated about 2½ miles out, handy to seafront, golf course and car. Comfortable home with city conveniences, cement basement, furnace, wash tubs, etc. Property is nicely treed and has excellent garden with good soil, some fruit trees, shrubs and ornamental trees. New garage.

NEAT BUNGALOW

$1800—ATTRACTIVE home with high location. Vestibule hall, living-room with open fireplace, kitchen, separate pantry; two bedrooms with bath between; good plumbing fixtures. Nice verandas. Terms arranged.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.

608 View Street Phone 55

FAIRFIELD SPECIAL—CLOSE IN

A GENUINE SNAP in a six-roomed residence. Reduced from $4,200 to

$3600

Reception-room, dining-room, kitchen, three bedrooms, lavatory separate from bathroom, open fireplace, hot air furnace, full size cemented basement piped for stationary tubs. Lot 50 x 145. Garage. Terms, $1,500 cash, balance reasonable. If you are looking for a home this should please you. Walking distance to the Postoffice. Early possession. For full details apply to

H. G. DALBY & CO., LTD.

634 View Street Phone 1706

$3750—OAK BAY. A MOST UNUSUAL opportunity to obtain a choice home at a very low figure. This house is of first-class stucco construction, on a rock foundation. Living-room with granite fireplace and built-in buffet, kitchen and breakfast nook, pantry with cooler and combination laundry tray and sink in enamel. Two bedrooms with double clothing closets and built-in dressers and drawers. Good basement. The lot is 60 by 172, with oak trees, lawn and flowers. For quick sale the price is $3,750 for cash, $3,900 on terms, or will sell completely furnished for small additional sum. This is the best buy for the money in Oak Bay. Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd., View and Broad Streets. Phone 5600, evenings 3950Y.

$1,750 — 6-ROOM HOUSE, VICTORIA West, in good condition, garage.

$2,350—BUNGALOW, 5 ROOMS, ESQUImalt; everything in splendid order, with full basement, furnace.

$3,500—8 ROOMS, FAIRFIELD; JUST been painted and decorated; garage. W. J. Gilliland & Co., 1305 Douglas Street. Phone 5593.

79 **WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES**

WE HAVE CLIENTS FOR

FOUR-ROOM COTTAGE, 1-mile circle.
FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE, Hillside.
FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, 3 acres; 3-mile circle.
SIX-ROOM HOUSE, Quadra Street.
SIX-ROOM HOUSE, near Beacon Hill.

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Real Estate and Insurance

642 Fort Street Phone 1340

SMALL MODERN HOME, FIVE ROOMS, for cash. High location; fairly close in, near car. Particulars, Box 8002, Colonist.

WANT LISTINGS OF 4, 5 AND 6-roomed houses in Esquimalt; also on high ground in Saanich, adjacent to city limits. T. B. Monk & Co., Suite 11, Arcade Bldg., 613 View Street. Phone 1970.

WANTED FOR CLIENTS — REALLY modern five-room bungalow, walking distance Parliament Buildings; cash buyer, six-room house, modern, basement, near car, price limit $3,000, terms wanted; also lots Fairfield, James Bay and Oak Bay. The Royal Trust Company, Real Estate Department, Belmont House, Victoria.

WANTED—5 OR 6-ROOMED HOUSE, Fairfield or Oak Bay; modern 5-roomed bungalow, James Bay; 5-roomed bungalow, Victoria West; around $1,500, all cash. Wallace & Archer. Phone 1745.

WANTED—4 OR 5-ROOM HOUSE. FULL particulars. Owners. Box 6935, Colonist.

80 **PROPERTY FOR SALE**

80A BUSINESS PROPERTIES

APARTMENT BLOCK—16 SUITES AND two stores; hot water heated; furniture of suites, stock and fixtures of one store are included in price. A nice buy for someone who will live on the place. Brings in $200 a month. Taxes $200. Price only $9,500. Would consider part trade. $3,500 cash handles.

LARGE HOUSE, DIVIDED INTO FOUR suites, including a four-room suite for owner's use. It is substantially built and in first class condition, situated on good street, taxes $130. Price $7,500.

A GOOD APARTMENT HOUSE of 13 suites, all rented, situated in high class district. Yearly revenue over $4,000, taxes $230. Will show 15% net on total investment of $16,000. This is well worth your careful consideration.

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WANTED—We want listings of grocery, confectionery, hotels and other businesses for sale; also partnerships. Buyers waiting.

PEMBERTON & SON

Phone 388 625 Fort Street

LOT 1, BLOCK 6, 60 x 120, UNION AVE., North Quadra, cheap for cash. Also Trutch Street, 60 x 120, terms or cash. Apply Owner, phone 2354Y.

80 **PROPERTY FOR SALE** (Continued)

80 MISCELLANEOUS

OFFER WANTED FOR LOT 5-15, ORED Avenue, Gorge. 2016 First Avenue East, Vancouver.

$150—CHOICE RESIDENTIAL LOT, ½ assessed value. F. P. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

81 **PROPERTY WANTED**

WANTED — THE LISTING OF ANY property you have for sale. Brown Bros. & Allan, Ltd., 711 Fort Street. Phone 6705.

82 **ACREAGE FOR SALE**

TO PRAIRIE FARMERS

New Year Bargains

5 ACRES OF SPLENDID BLACK LOAM SOIL UNDER CULTIVATION AND FENCED; NO ROCK; CITY WATER, LIGHT AND PHONE QUITE CLOSE. GOOD WELL. NEWLY BUILT FIVE-ROOMED PLASTERED HOUSE; CEMENT BASEMENT, BARN FOR TEN HEAD, CHICKEN HOUSE FOR 100 BIRDS. GARAGE. ON AN EXCELLENT PAVED ROAD. TEN MINUTES FROM BEACH. TERMS ... $3000

STRAWBERRY LAND BARGAIN (OWNER AWAY)

5.7 ACRES; 2 ACRES ACTUALLY CLEARED AND FENCED; PACKING SHED. LAND ALONE COST OWNER $1,700. IMPROVEMENTS $500. $2,300 IN ALL, PLUS TAXES, WHICH ARE $16 PER ANNUM. WATER HAS BEEN DIVINED BUT NOT DUG FOR. OWNER SELLING ON ACCOUNT OF SICKNESS. STAGE FIVE MINUTES TO EAST SAANICH ROAD; SCHOOL ONE MILE. SACRIFICE PRICE (EASY TERMS) ... $1000

$500 DOWN—SMALL FARM

4 ACRES, all fenced. Good chicken proposition. About 3 acres cleared. Unfailing well. Four-roomed cottage, lined with cottonwood; cold water installed. Chicken house for 150 birds; garage; small goat barn. Taxes $11. School 1½ miles; three minutes stage. $500 down; $15 monthly, without interest, and assume $1,300 mortgage ... $2650

WONDERFUL POULTRY OPPORTUNITY

21½ ACRES, all cleared and best of soil; bearing orchard. Buildings alone cost $13,500. Can be bought on terms ... $16,500

50 ACRES, close to Elk Lake. About 35 slashed and seeded down to wonderful stand of red clover ... $1750

PEMBERTON & SON

Phone 388 Fort Street

SNAP FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY

BEAUTIFUL HOME, consisting of five rooms and attic; separate bath and toilet; cement basement with hot air furnace. Situated on 2½ acres of land, nicely laid out in fruit and berries. A splendid home within four (4) miles of city for only $5,750. Act quickly.

T. B. MONK & CO.

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IMPROVED ACREAGE, WILD LAND. F. P. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

LANGFORD AND COLWOOD DISTRICT POULTRY FARMS, ACREAGE.

H. A. HINCKS

LANGFORD PHONE BELMONT 2

SNAP—COTTAGE AND TWO ACRES

ROYAL OAK DISTRICT, on paved road—Four-room cottage, in good shape. Also two acres of land, all in grass, except quarter acre of bush. Price $1,250.

JOHN GREENWOOD

1236 Government Street

SHEEP FARM, 170 ACRES, ALL FENCED, 17 to 20 acres cultivated, balance available for rough pasture, small orchard. Dwelling, six rooms, modern sanitation. Excellent never-failing water supply, laid on to dwelling and outbuildings. Barn, eight head; roothouse, chicken house, sheep shed, garage, etc. On main Island Highway. Telephone. The owner, who is forced to sell on account of ill-health, has run seventy sheep, six milk cows, horses, etc., on this property. Price $6,000. Apply J. H. Whittome & Co., Limited, Duncan, B.C.

STOCK RANCH, SUITABLE FOR CATTLE OR SHEEP. 600 acres, over 100 tons of hay put up yearly. 3,000 acres leased land adjoining for grazing. Excellent water supply. A fairly good house and all the necessary outbuildings. This property is well situated, close to transportation, school and postoffice. Price $6,000, on terms. Reduction for cash.

EAGEL & CO.

Phone 532 139 Pemberton Bldg.

10 ACRES, GOOD MIXED FARM. Forced sale. Choice of Saanich, close in. First-class house, all city conveniences. Box 6984, Colonist.

885 ACRES, COBBLE HILL DISTRICT. About 13 million feet good timber. 160 acres limestone deposit. There is big money in this on account timber and limestone. Price only $13,000, on terms, takes land, timber and all. W. J. Gilliland & Co., 1305 Douglas Street.

83 ACRES, 10 MILES FROM TOWN, on main road. Two acres cleared. Small shack and chicken house. City water and telephone available. Very suitable for sheep or chicken ranch. Fifteen dollars per acre. Box 6957, Colonist.

4-ROOMED COTTAGE AT LANGFORD, on one acre, good soil, $1,300. Five-roomed house, furnished; four acres; stock included, $3,500. H. A. Hincks, Langford. Phone Belmont 2.

A GOOD BUY

50 ACRES, $45 AN ACRE, $400 CASH, balance arranged, eight miles from Victoria, on paved road; part timber; some good land, suitable for mixed farming, city conveniences available; low taxes; clear title. 35 acres, new five-room bungalow, for sale at very low figure, or might rent with option to purchase. Suitable for greenhouses, mixed farming; a retired man's home. A living can be made if necessary. Box 5818, Colonist.

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3.83 ACRES at $300 PER ACRE, 4-MILE circle. Electric light and power, city water, just off paved road. Beautiful views, high elevation. A PICK-UP. Phone 3036, Victoria Realty Co., 618 View Street.

84 **ACREAGE WANTED**

LIST YOUR FARM OR ACREAGE WITH us now for Spring selling. We specialize in farm properties. P. R. Brown & Sons, Ltd., 1112 Broad St. Phone 1076.

WANTED TO RENT—TWO TO FIVE acres, small house, outbuildings, fruits. Would consider buying. Address Box 6842, Colonist.

85 **FARMS FOR SALE**

SOUTH SAANICH DISTRICT

A VERY ATTRACTIVE 5-ACRE RANCH situated 7½ miles from the city, all fenced and mostly all under cultivation; 100 fruit trees, 250 logans, also blackberries and other small fruits. 5-roomed bungalow, pantry, bathroom, electric light, automatic electric pump, unlimited supply of water. Price $5,000.00 with stock, 100 Leghorn chickens, 2 milk goats, 20 black Siberian rabbits and implements.

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MIXED FARM, 6½ ACRES, 7 CLEARED. Six-room bungalow, city water, poultry houses, etc. Sacrifice, $4,500. H. Chambers, Metchosin.

WATERFRONT FARMS AND HOMES. F. P. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

86 **FARMS FOR RENT**

FULLY EQUIPPED FARM, TWO MILES from Courtenay. Forty acres under plough. Apply to Harry Pearcy, P.O. Box 144, Courtenay.

$20 PER MONTH RENT—EIGHT-ROOM house, with six acres, good land, waterfront, at Albert Head. F. P. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

PRIVATE BILL NOTICES

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session by the Corporation of the City of Victoria for an Act (to be known as the "Victoria City Act, 1928"), providing for the following matters, and giving to the said Corporation and the Municipal Council thereof the following powers, namely:—

1. Enabling the Council by by-law to authorize the regulation and inspection of electrical and other wiring, to levy and collect fees for cost of inspection and to require wiring permits to be obtained and payment of inspection fees made by contractors, owners or other persons before the commencement of wiring installation.

2. Repealing Subsections (1), (2) and (3) of Section 28 of "Victoria City Act, 1926," and providing for assessment and taxation of lands the fee of which is in the Corporation.

3. Providing that the Corporation shall not be liable to any person for forfeiture in respect of cancellation of Agreements-for-Sale of tax sale lands or the retainer of moneys paid to the Corporation under any such agreement.

4. Amending Section 17 of "Victoria City Act, 1922":—

(a) To provide for vesting in the Corporation of lands under fifteen-year plan therein referred to after twelve months' default in payments required to be made by the owner, and providing for sixty days' notice to all parties interested before such vesting shall become effective;

(b) To provide that lands under said fifteen-year plan that become vested in the Corporation shall be deemed to be lands that have been acquired by the Corporation by tax sale proceedings.

5. Amending Section 22 of "Victoria City Act, 1921," as enacted by Section 7 of "Victoria City Act, 1922," to provide on subdivision of land for the apportionment of assessment of improvements thereon.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., December, 1927.

H. S. PRINGLE,
City Solicitor.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act enabling and directing the neutral engineer appointed by the Corporation of the City of Victoria as a result of an action in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, wherein the Westholme Lumber Company, Limited, was plaintiff and said Corporation and others were defendants, to determine the matters submitted to him for decision by said Company and said Corporation.

Dated December, 1927.
W. J. TAYLOR, Solicitor for Applicant.

NOTICE TO PRAIRIE FARMERS

Two Real Bargains and Many We Have No Room to Advertise

26 ACRES, 10 or more cleared. 5-6-roomed house. Unfailing well which cost $700. Bearing orchard. (Terms) $4250

5 ACRES of splendid black loam soil, under cultivation and fenced; no rock; city water, light and phone quite close. Good well. Newly built five-roomed plastered house, cement basement. Barn for ten head, chicken house for 100 birds, garage. On an excellent paved road. Ten minutes from beach. (Terms)... $3000

Up-Island—Fox, Sheep or Dairy

160 Acres, More or Less

10 ACRES BLACK SOIL ACTUALLY CLEARED; BEARING FRUIT; NEVER-FAILING CREEK.

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Three miles from town. Old house and buildings. Most of land logged off and seeded.

$23 an Acre

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A very nice four-roomed bungalow, on a high situation. We would take a good small car as first payment thereon, with balance as rent ... $1800

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MANY COMPANIES INCORPORATED

New companies incorporated during the past week at the Parliament Buildings are: The Island Fruit Farms Limited, Vancouver, private, $10,000; Min Sing Company Limited, Vancouver, private, $10,000; Great West Mines Limited, Vancouver, private, $150,000; Rushton, Hartt Limited, Vancouver, private, $10,000; Rex Comb's Garage Limited, Vancouver, private, $10,000; Central Motor Coach Terminal Limited, Victoria, private, $50,000; Northwestern Messenger and Transfer Company Limited, Vancouver, private, $10,000; Kerrone-Marin Logging Company Limited, Duncan, private, $15,000; Tait Copper Leaching Process Company Limited, Vancouver, private, $50,000; Hilton Gold Recovery Limited, non-personal liability, Vancouver, private, $100,000; McCleery & Weston Limited, Vancouver, private, $200,000; Capitol Cleaners Limited, Kamloops, private, $10,000; Meridian Ginseng Company Limited, Vancouver, private, $50,000; Mutual Finance Corporation Limited, Vancouver, private, $20,000; Capilano Canyon Resorts Limited, Vancouver, private, $10,000; Slocan Rambler Mining Company Limited (non-personal liability), Nelson, public, $500,000; Specialty Manufacturing Company Limited, Vancouver, private, $20,000; Autocrat Distributors Limited, Vancouver, private, $10,000; Wing Chong Company Limited, Victoria, private, $10,000.

Extra provincial company registered:

G. A. Stinson & Company Limited, Toronto and Vancouver, 100,000 shares of no par value.

GASOLINE ALLEY

Avery's Car Needed a Paint Job, Anyway — By King

POLLY AND HER PALS

Sufficient Recommendation — By Cliff Sterrett

TILLIE THE TOILER

Sunk! — By Westover

S'MATTER POP

A Dangerous Situation — By C. M. Payne

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By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

The World's Greatest Authority

HAND NO. 30

North: ♠ 2 ♡ K 4 2 ◇ A J 4 ♣ K Q 8 7 5 4

West: ♠ K J 9 7 5 ♡ 8 7 6 ◇ 10 8 7 ♣ 9 3

East: ♠ A 10 8 ♡ Q J 10 3 ◇ Q 6 5 2 ♣ 6 2

South: ♠ Q 6 4 3 ♡ A 9 5 ◇ K 9 3 ♣ A J 10

South is the dealer. What is the proper bidding and play?

Each day we shall publish a complete hand presented by Mr. Whitehead, together with a chart upon which the bidding and play may be noted. These hands may be played with cards by one, two, three or four players before filling in the chart.

Tomorrow we shall publish Mr. Whitehead's explanation of today's hand, with the important features emphasized.

Fill out your own chart and compare it tomorrow with Mr. Whiteheads' method. Do this each day and carefully read Mr. Whitehead's explanation, and you will find that your knowledge of the game will progress rapidly. Compare your bidding and play with that of your friends—the comparison may be illuminating.

Record the bids that each player should make, assuming that he does not see any of the other hands.

THE PLAY

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N-S	Won by E-W
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
11						
12						
13						
Total Tricks Won						

(Bracket the card led to each trick)

Declarer — Opponents

Point Score..... .....

Honor Score ....

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids

Final Bid..... Played by.....

These hands must not be bid or played "Double Dummy," i.e., as though all four hands were exposed.

NOTE—In recording the Auction, or the play, use "S" for Spades, "H" for Hearts, "D" for Diamonds, and "C" for Clubs. Use "NT" for No Trumps, "DBL" for double, "REDBL" for redouble.

Yesterday's Hand as Played by Mr. Whitehead

HAND NO. 28

The Correct Bidding and Play

THE PLAY

(Bracketed card shows lead to each trick)

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N-S	Won by E-W
1	SA	(S5)	S2	S9	1	
2	(DA)	D4	D3	D2	1	
3	(DJ)	D5	DQ	DK		1
4	CA	C3	C4	(CQ)	1	
5	(S7)	SK	S6	S3		1
6	C5	(CK)	C8	C9		1
7	C6	(C2)	C10	CJ		1
8	H3	H10	HQ	(H4)	1	
9	H9	D8	(D10)	D6	1	
10	HJ	H2	(D9)	D7	1	
11	S3	S8	(SQ)	S4	1	
12	HA	H6	(H5)	H7	1	
13	(C7)	S10	H8	HK	1	
Total Tricks Won					9	4

Declarer — Opponents

Point Score.....30..... .....

Honor Score.....100..... .....

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids
1 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

Final Bid 1 NT Played by South

Salient Points of the Play

Trick 1.—South sees that in order to go game, he must utilize the Diamonds in Dummy and also successfully finesse the Hearts from Dummy towards his own hand. Therefore, his immediate problem is to insure a Spade trick in Dummy to provide a needed entry.

East's play of the nine necessitates the play of Spade Ace by South to avoid blocking the Queen as a sure entry in Dummy. As but two tricks at most can be made in Spades, nothing can be lost by this play.

Trick 3.—South overtakes the Jack of Diamonds with the Queen in Dummy to insure the establishment of the suit.

Trick 4.—East knows that his partner led from a four-card Spade suit, as all of the Spades lower than the five originally led were in plain sight in his own hand and Dummy. East also knows that South could have won the Spade lead more cheaply, because if West held the King, Jack, ten, his proper lead would have been the Jack. Therefore, South must have held originally two Spade honors and his play of the high honor was obviously for the purpose of insuring the Queen as an entry in Dummy. Consequently, regardless of whether South still holds the King of Spades, the return of the Spade suit could only result in assisting South in the development of his plan of play. Accordingly, East shifts to Clubs.

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A judge threatened to fine a lawyer for contempt of court.

"I have expressed no contempt for court," said the lawyer; "on the contrary, I have carefully concealed my feelings."

Doris: I can't stand Jack any more.

Jane: Why?

Doris: Why, last night I had to tell him to behave.

Jane: Oh! and he did, eh?

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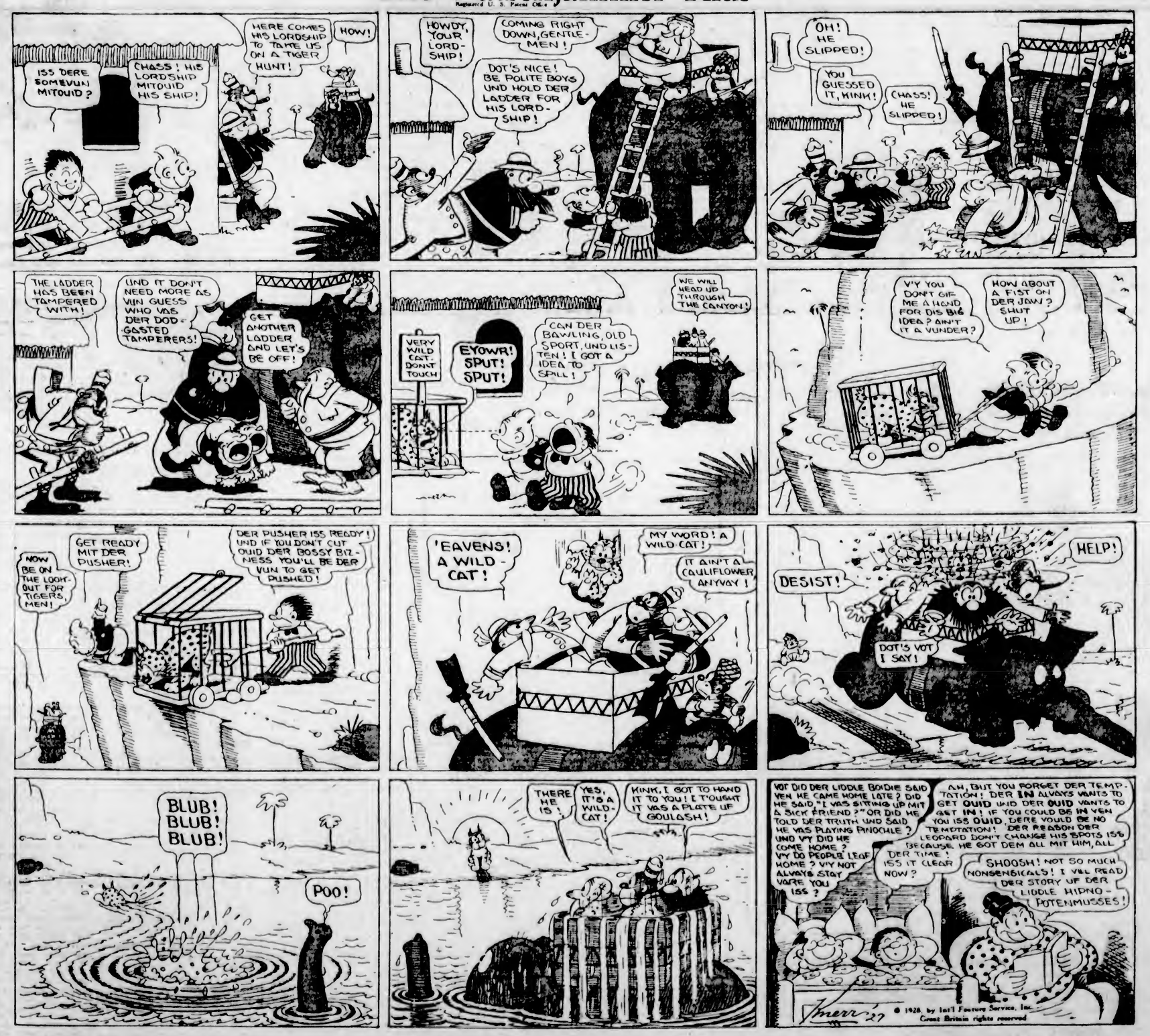

January Sale Bargains for Today, Including Women's Coats and Millinery, Men's Coats and Youths' Suits

Children's Sweaters

January Sale Bargains Today **$1.98**

Girls' All-Wool Pull-Over Sweaters, smart style for skating, made with high turn-back collar; shown in blue and white, fawn and red or all white. Sizes 10 to 12 years **$1.98**

Coat Sweaters in lumberjack or plain style, all-wool, neatly made and shown in ground colors of fawn and blue; for 8 to 12 years. On sale **$1.98**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Girls' Navy Serge Skirts, $1.75

Girls' Navy Blue Serge Skirts, neat style, with four kick pleats in front, and attached to white cotton bodice. Sizes for 8 to 12 years. On sale, each **$1.75**

Wool Plaid Skirts, pleated in front and plain at back; very smart color combinations; for ages 12 to 15 years. Regular $6.50. On sale for **$4.75**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

WOMEN'S GIRDLES

Two Bargains Today at $1.49 and $1.95

Front Clasp Wrap Girdles of silk elastic and broche; short styles, very lightly boned, and finished with four hose supporters. On sale, each **$1.49**

Very Practical Side-Hook Girdles, elastic front and plain coutil back; cut longer in the back and laced at the sides for easy adjustment; finished with four hose supporters. On sale, each **$1.95**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Women's Winter Weight Combinations

Odd Lines Clearing at $3.95

Women's Wool and Silk-and-Wool Combinations in a variety of styles; broken sizes. Regular values to $5.75. On sale for **$3.95**

—Underwear, 1st Floor

BABIES' PULL-OVER GAITERS

At January Sale Prices

White Overall Gaiters for ages 2, 3 and 4 years, with elastic under foot and at waist and buttoned up side of leg. On sale for **85c** and **$1.25**

Babies' White All-Wool Pull-Over Gaiters with feet; for 6 months to 1 year **$1.00**

Silk and Wool Pull-Over Gaiters with feet; good heavy knit. A pair **$1.95**

—Infants' Wear, 1st Floor

Sale of Women's House Dresses Today at 75c and 98c

House Dresses of plain shade crepes, slip-over style, trimmed with hand embroidery. Sizes 36 to 42. On sale for **75c**

House Dresses, of stripe crepes, smart ginghams and plain color fabrics; neat styles with collar and pleats. Sizes 34 to 44. On sale for **98c**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Full Fashioned Kayser Silk Hosiery A Pair, $1.75

Pure Thread Silk Hose, full fashioned, semi-service weight and silk to the hem; made with "slipper heel" to give the ankle a more trim appearance. Shown in fifteen of the latest authentic shades. At, a pair **$1.75**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Hosiery for Children

On Sale Today

Children's Imported Golf Socks with fancy turn-over tops. Neat designs, plain shades, fancy heather mixtures or marl effects. On sale, a pair **59c**

Boys' Pure Worsted Hose, in 2-and-1 rib knit, reinforced heels and toes; brown or black. A pair **60c**

Children's Pure Wool Golf Hose, Wolsey brand; heavy, hard-wearing hose with fancy turn-over tops in harmonizing shades. A pair **79c**

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COMFORTERS

Reduced in Price for January Sale

Cotton-Filled Comforters in gay floral coverings, panelled with plain shade to tone, and well filled with sterilized cotton; full bed size. Inexpensive and give just the extra warmth required. Reduced prices for January—

$2.59, $2.75, $4.95, $5.95 and $6.95

Dainty Crib Comforters, in pink or blue patterns, with plain color panels. Exceptional values at **$1.98**

Regrouping Women's and Misses' COATS

At Further Reductions for Today

Semi-Fitted and Tailored Blanket Cloth Coats, with shoulder lining, very neat models in shades grey, fawn and wine. On sale for **$6.90**

Velour Coats in straightline styles, with collars and cuffs of moufflon. They are fully lined and shown in an assortment of shades. Each **$15.90**

Dressy Coats of good grade velour and sports coats in mixture shades and check patterns; straightline styles with moufflon collars and cuffs. On sale, each **$18.90**

Coats of Velour, Broadcloth and Duvetyn, in wrappy models, trimmed with shawl or crush collars of moufflon, opossum and caracul. Shades are red, fawn, grey, brick, blue, green and black. Each **$27.90**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Great Clearance of Millinery Today at $2.50 and $1.98

All Winter Models of felt, velvet and silk, some of which may be worn for early Spring, to clear today at **$2.50**

Trimmed Hats, still quite a good choice of styles and fabrics, to clear at **$1.98**

High-Grade Banded and Trimmed Felt Hats, in black and several shades, to clear at **$1.98**

Children's Hats, all to be cleared at **98c**

—Millinery, 1st Floor

Habutai Silk Slips

Regular $3.25 Each, for $2.75

Habutai Silk Slips, opera top and shadow skirt; in shades of white, pink, peach and black. Regular $3.25 each. January Bargains **$2.75**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Rayon Silk Gowns

On Sale, Each $1.39

Rayon Silk Gowns with lace top; shown in a nice range of pastel shades; good quality and well finished. January Sale Bargains at **$1.39**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

"Loofahs"

A special lot of beautiful large Bath Loofahs. Values 35c each. On sale, your choice, each **25c**

—Toiletries Section

Toilet Paper

10c Rolls of "Giant" Toilet Paper. Special at **11** rolls for **50c**

—Toiletries Section

300 Yards of

Fancy Wool Novelty French Dress Materials

Values to $8.75 a Yard, for $1.98

Before stock-taking we are clearing out all French Wool Novelty materials in the Dress Goods Department—about 500 yards altogether—including fancy reps, fancy weaves, bordered goods, checks and plaids, navy, black, fawn, purple, grey, red and brown. Great value, a yard **$1.98**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

500 Yards of

54-Inch French Flannel

Values to $1.98 a Yard, on Sale for 98c

All-Wool Flannel suitable for dresses. Shades fawn, beaver, grey, henna, etc. On Sale, a yard **98c**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

Stationery and Book Bargains

For Today

A lot of Small Size Pictures to clear, each **35c**

School Bags

Made of good strong canvas. Regular $1.50, for **$1.19**

Text Cards

Very special values today at, a packet **15c**

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All good fairy tales and nursery rhymes for kiddies. Regular 25c each for **10c**

Glitter Wax

Assorted colors, 1-lb. boxes. Regular 75c, for **49c**

Another Clearance of Library Books, 3 for $1.00

These Outcast Library Books are always picked up quickly, as they are fairly recent books and afford a good opportunity to procure inexpensive reading.

Our Bargain Tables contain many good books at very low prices—fiction, travel, art, poetry, etc.

—Lower Main Floor

Plain and Fancy Check Flannels

Regular Price, a Yard, $1.00, for 59c

Check Flannels, showing mauve, grey, biscuit, powder blue and rose-wood shades. On sale, a yard **59c**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

SILKS

January Sale Bargains for Today

29-Inch All-Silk Quality Spun Silk, for dresses and lingerie; in white, natural, pink, maize, fawn, powder, red, lemon, copper and geranium. On sale, a yard **59c**

21-Inch Velveteen, twill back, fast pile and dye; will wear well for children's dresses; in red, green, rose, grey and brown. On sale, a yard, **69c**

Silks, broken lines of Duchesse Satins, Stripe and Check Rayons, to clear at a great bargain. On sale, a yard, **98c**

—Silks, Main Floor

BEDSPREADS

To Embroider, $2.40

Bedspreads stamped and stencilled for imitation cut work, on unbleached cotton; very attractive when made up; full size; to embroider. Each **$2.40**

—Art Needlework, 1st Floor

FANCY APRONS

To Embroider, 70c

Fancy Voile Aprons, stamped flat, in mauve, rose and peach, with easy designs to embroider. Each **70c**

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Heavy Wool Tweed Overcoats

A January Sale Bargain Each

$14.75

A Special Grouping of Men's Overcoats in styles for young men or conservative dressers. They are made from heavy wool tweeds, designed in half-belters or loose-fitting models. Half silk lined, long roll collars and well tailored; greys, fawns, fovats, checks and mixed tweeds. Sizes 34 to 42. On sale for **$14.75**

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Of Wool Clydesdale Serge

$13.50

The suits are made in fashionable, double-breasted style; of pure wool Clydesdale (rough serge), in fine indigo blue, and very strong texture. Neat fitting suits for the smart dressing young man. Sizes 33 to 37 ..... **$13.50**

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Men's Wool and Silk Knit Sweaters on Sale for $5.75

Fine Rib Stitch Sweater Coats, with V neck and four pockets. In popular shades and two-tone effects. On sale, each, **$5.75**

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Special Today Chicken Dinner

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—Dining-Room, 3rd Floor

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Many Good Values for January Sale

Hollywood Cases in several colors, with strong handles and clasps. Each at **$1.29**

Fibre Suitcases, on strong wood frames, with swing handle, lock and side clasps. Each **$1.95**

School Cases, of strong embossed fibre, with swing handle and lock; 12, 14 and 16-inch sizes. On sale, each, **79c, $1.25** and **$1.45**

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Suitcases of imported fibre, made on wood frame, strong handle and lock; sizes 22, 24 and 26-inch. On sale, each **$3.50**

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Women's Blouse Cases of smooth cowhide, with pocket for toilet requisites; tan shade; size 18 inches. Regular to $10.00, for **$7.75**

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Men's Fine Shirts on Sale, Each $1.49 and $2.49

Shirts of fancy brocade broadcloth, patterned with stripes on a white ground. Each shirt has separate collar to match. Several sizes. On sale, each **$1.49**

Shirts of Bisley cord, patterned with fancy stripes. Each shirt with double soft cuffs and one soft and one starch collar to match. Each **$2.49**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

January Sale of Men's Underwear

Cream Elastic Rib Shirts and Drawers, medium weight. Suitable for any season. On sale, a garment **$1.00**

Combinations of same quality, a suit **$1.75**

Men's Elastic Rib Shirts and Drawers, Tiger Brand. Broken sizes. A garment **$1.19**

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On the Bargain Highway. All One Price Today, a Pair $2.95

Men's Strong Working Boots with double leather soles, leather heels, outside counters and three-seam stitches. January Sale Bargains **$2.95**

Boys' Brown and Black Calf Oxfords, rubber heels, stout leather soles. Reduced to **$2.95**

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Boys' Black and Brown All-Leather Boots for school wear. January Sale Price **$2.95**

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A Pair

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Men's Patent Leather Pumps with turned soles. Regular $5.00 values. For January Sale, a pair **$3.90**

Broken Lines of Men's Albion and Strider Boots and Oxfords. Real January bargains at **$5.90**

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English made, very hard toes and bars **$3.50**

Footballs, regulation boys' size, with good inside bladders. Each **$1.40**

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